

# WR Ponders Death Row Decision

By ROBERT SHAW  
Associated Press Writer

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — An opponent of capital punishment, Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller plans to decide before he leaves office Jan. 12 whether to grant clemency to any of the 23 inmates living on Arkansas' death row.

Rockefeller said Tuesday night that he will give each case individual attention, a statement apparently intended to allay any conjecture that he might grant clemency en masse to death row inmates.

The governor said he had no preconceived notions about any of the cases.

He said, however, that "very possibly" he could take executive action to commute death sentences. But he said there were certain inmates on death row who had "shown the capacity to react ... in a manner that it would be totally in appropriate to release them to society."

"Maybe you could commute their death sentences to a life sentence without access to parole," Rockefeller said.

Arkansas has not had an execution since 1964, when one convict died on the state's homemade 57-year-old electric chair, a 22,000-volt device dubbed "Old Satan" and "Old Sparky" by death row inhabitants.

The electric chair, once located in a room around the corner from death row at Tucker Intermediate Reformatory, has been dismantled during Rockefeller's administration and placed in storage.

The room, where eight inmates died in 1960 alone, has been converted into an infirmary.

Rockefeller declared a moratorium on executions when he took office in 1967, pending a decision by the U.S. Supreme Court on capital punishment. The court was expected to hand down a decision in a case involving William Lee Maxwell, an Arkansas death row inmate, that would decide the constitutionality of the death sentence, but the justices instead remanded the case to U.S. District Court.

Still pending before the Supreme Court, are death appeals in which the court could still make a landmark decision on capital punishment.

A bill with Rockefeller's backing was introduced in the 1967 legislature to abolish capital punishment in Arkansas, but it was defeated in the House.

Gov.-elect Dale Bumpers has said he supports the death penalty for such "heinous" crimes as bombings of public places.

Ray Guzman, a professor of law at the University of Arkansas, had been making a study of capital punishment in the

## Obituaries

W. FORREST DICKERSON

W. Forrest Dickerson, 73 died Tuesday in Nevada County Hospital in Prescott.

Survivors include his wife Lillie Dickerson 4 daughters; Mrs. Helen Callicutt, Mrs. Emma Jean Olgesby all of Prescott. Mrs. Betty Bennett Lompac, Calif., Mrs. Dorothy Wake of El Dorado. His mother, one sister and one brother of Prescott and one sister of Missouri, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Earl Lester, of Hope. Funeral will be 2:30 p.m. Thursday in Assembly of God Church in Prescott under direction of Cornish Funeral Home.

MRS. JENNIE MILLER

Mrs. Jennie Miller, 90, longtime resident of Hope, died Tuesday in a local hospital.

She is survived by a son, John Miller of Houston; three daughters, Mrs. Geraldine Coleman of Baton Rouge, La., Mrs. Mildred Paxton of Baker, La. and Mrs. Lillian Fant of Hope; two brothers, Forrest Tapscott of Packwood, Wash., and Golden Tapscott of Terre Haute, Ind.

Arrangements will be announced by Herndon Funeral Home.

ROME (AP) — Benno Cardinal Gut, 73, Swiss-born member of the Roman Curia who was the prefect of the Vatican Congregation for Divine Worship, died Tuesday night. He suffered from an acute circulatory ailment.

BRYAN, Tex. (AP) — David A. Cheavens, 63, chairman of the Department of Journalism at Baylor University and a newsman for many years, died Sunday. Before joining the Baylor faculty in 1961, Cheavens had been with The Associated Press for 26 years. He worked earlier on newspapers in New York and Texas.

HOLLYWOOD, Fla. (AP) — Susie Tiger, who adopted the white man's religion but adamantly rejected his language, is dead at the age of about 120. One of the oldest known Seminole Indians, Susie Tiger's exact age could not be pinpointed. Relatives placed it between 115 and 125.

state under a Ford Foundation grant and Rockefeller said he would be a "logical person" to talk with in reviewing death row cases.

Les Hollingsworth, the governor's aid for pardons and paroles, said Tuesday that he had discussed with Rockefeller whether any death sentences should be commuted to life terms, but he said Rockefeller had given no indication of his feelings on individual cases.

"On the other hand, he certainly feels he has carried out his thoughts on capital punishment because no execution has taken place during his term in office," Hollingsworth said.

Emmett R. Coley, 54, of El Dorado, driver of the other car, was injured in the mishap.

# Russia Wants Peace Talks Resumed

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Soviet Union called today for the "quickest possible" resumption of Middle East peace negotiations.

It said talks under U.N. mediator Gunnar V. Jarring are the "path to a peaceful settlement" that could "guarantee to all peoples of the Near East ... an independent, secure existence within secure frontiers."

Israel withdrew from the Jarring talks in August, accusing Egypt of violating a standstill ceasefire along the Suez Canal by installing anti-aircraft missile batteries.

Speaking through a signed editorial in the Communist party newspaper Pravda, the Kremlin said Israel "and its allies in Washington" want to prolong the present "no peace, no war" situation in the region and make Israeli occupation of Arab territories "a fait accompli."

In another development, Tunisian President Bahi Ladgham, head of a top-level Arab reconciliation committee to Jordan, arrived in Amman today at the request of Egyptian President Anwar Sadat to investigate the past two days of fighting between King Hussein's troops and the Palestinian commandos in Jerash, 24 miles north of the Jordanian capital.

He will study means of implementing the Amman-Cairo agreement, reached between the Jordanian army and the commandos after the civil war in September.

Israeli Defense Minister Moshe Dayan flew to the United States today for meetings in Washington. Dayan originally was to visit the United States to appear at fund-raising functions for the United Jewish Appeal, but the Israeli government commissioned him to discuss problems of the Middle East while in Washington.

King Hussein of Jordan talked with Nixon Tuesday.

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million requested for land reform in Vietnam. The committee said there was no satisfactory explanation of why the land reform money was requested in an emergency measure.

The committee turned down a request for \$20 million for a contribution by the United States to the United Nations for improvements and additions to its New York headquarters.

Sisters Killed at Fordyce

FORDYCE, Ark. (AP) — Two elderly Fordyce sisters were killed Tuesday in a two-car collision at the intersection of Arkansas 8 and U.S. 167-79 here.

State Police identified the two as Miss Betty Stover, 69, and Sina Stover, 86.

Emmett R. Coley, 54, of El Dorado, driver of the other car, was injured in the mishap.

## Weather

Experiment Station report for 24-hours ending at 7 a.m. Wednesday, High 55, Low 24.

Forecast

ARKANSAS—Variable clouds and mild today and Thursday with a few light rain showers tonight and Thursday. High today and Thursday upper 60s to mid 70s. Low tonight in the 50s to mid 60s.

## Weather Elsewhere

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Albany, snow	22	17	07
Albuquerque, clear	63	33	...
Atlanta, clear	53	39	...
Bismarck, clear	39	6	...
Boise, cloudy	49	44	03
Boston, snow	24	20	15
Buffalo, rain	39	35	T
Charlotte, clear	48	30	...
Chicago, clear	49	44	...
Cincinnati, cloudy	55	45	...
Cleveland, cloudy	46	43	...
Des Moines, clear	57	35	...
Detroit, cloudy	47	41	...
Fairbanks, cloudy	4	22	...
Fort Worth, cloudy	69	58	...
Helena, cloudy	39	23	...
Honolulu, clear	82	72	...
Indianapolis, cloudy	56	46	...
Jacksonville, clear	66	46	...
Janeau, M	M	M	M
Kansas City, clear	60	40	...
Los Angeles, cloudy	61	56	31
Louisville, cloudy	54	42	...
Memphis, cloudy	61	46	...
Miami, cloudy	73	70	...
Milwaukee, cloudy	44	33	...
Mpls.-St. P., cloudy	41	24	01
New Orleans, fog	67	42	...
New York, cloudy	38	36	...
Ola, city, fog	71	44	...
Omaha, clear	57	31	...
Philadelphia, cloudy	36	31	...
Phoenix, cloudy	76	46	...
Pittsburgh, rain	41	35	T
Ptmd, Me., snow	21	14	02
Ptmd, Ore., cloudy	45	39	01
Rapid City, cloudy	56	28	...
Richmond, cloudy	43	27	...
St. Louis, clear	60	51	...
Salt Lk. City, cloudy	54	39	...
San Diego, rain	63	58	02
San Fran., clear	59	51	19
Seattle, cloudy	43	34	...
Tampa, clear	M	M	...
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## Manpower Training Money Cut

WASHINGTON (AP) — A Senate-House conference committee has cut \$2.5 billion from a public service jobs and manpower training bill in hopes of avoiding a presidential veto.

The conferees first announced a \$12 billion bill had been agreed upon Tuesday, but they went back into session and made the cuts after Republicans said President Nixon would be likely to turn back the higher measure.

The bill provides for a major change in operation of the manpower training programs, which have been running for eight years.

Mayors and the governors would take over the programs, shifting federal responsibility to the Labor Department, cutting out the Office of Economic Opportunity and the Health, Education and Welfare Department. Also, the manpower programs would be extended three years.

Also in the bill, were special funds for public service jobs.

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will also remove his loading and unloading operations off Laurel Street. Unloading of long transport trucks in front of his present location blocks Laurel Street and has long been a problem for traffic in that area.

The Board also ordered a survey and appraisal of approximately 65 acres in the airport property on which Ernest May offered to exchange some of his property to straighten the lines on both properties. Some small corners of the City Property extends south of the Oakhaven-Airport road, and some of Mr. May's property extends into the airport property on the north side.

The Board of Directors have indicated that they are willing to make an exchange if an equitable arrangement can be worked out. They asked that an independent appraisal of both properties be obtained in order to determine an equitable trade of the properties.

The Board approved the appointment of Jesse Duckett to fill a vacancy on the Planning and Zoning Commission, and authorized the Police Department to advertise for bids on the replacement of two police cars.

# Flood, Storm Victims Can Get Help

Some residents in Hempstead, Howard, and Pike Counties who are, or have been, unemployed as a result of the 1968 floods and storms, became eligible for disaster unemployment assistance November 23, Teddy Jones, local Employment Security Division Manager, announced today.

The Arkansas Employment Security Division has started accepting applications for assistance and Mr. Jones said today that all applications must be filed no later than January 23, 1971. Provisions of the Federal Disaster Relief Law are designed to offer unemployment benefits to persons who cannot work as a result of a disaster.

Some 48 counties in Arkansas are included in the current program of disaster unemployment insurance and three Arkansas disasters are covered in the agreement. One involved severe storms and flooding, on January 28, 1969; another involved a tornado and severe storms which hit Crawford and Sebastian Counties on April 19, 1968.

The third involved tornadoes, severe storms and flooding from May 10 through May 17, 1968.

Jones said that those who think they qualify should contact the Employment Security Division Office located at 700 South Elm, Hope. The category of persons who can qualify for these disaster assistance payments include:

A person who lived or worked in a major disaster area at the time of the disaster and who became unemployed as the result of the disaster.

A person who was temporarily unemployed (less than 10 weeks) at the time of the disaster but subject to recall to employment in the area and whose recall was cancelled or delayed because of the effects of the disaster.

A person who was scheduled to begin working in a major disaster area but whose start to work was cancelled or delayed as the result of the disaster.

A person who could not work because of injury or illness which resulted from the disaster.

A person who became the head of a household and entered the labor market because the head of the house died as a result of the disaster, whether or not such member had previously been employed or in the labor market.

A person who completed his schooling or training for work no earlier than 10 weeks before the major disaster and was prevented from obtaining work in the major disaster area as the result of the disaster.

Any person who feels his unemployment was due to a previous major disaster, but who is not covered by one of the above situations, should contact the nearest local office of the Arkansas Employment Security Division and file an application.

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say that it is doubtful the Social Security measure will be voted on by the Senate this year.

He said some of the riders, such as a quota-setting trade plan, were so controversial that passage in one week seemed impossible.

Backers of the trade legislation talked of trying to get a two-thirds vote to impose cloture, and thus limit debate on the bill. But it seemed unlikely the Senate would vote cloture almost as soon as floor debate started.

The Oklahoma senator, however, said there's another way to salvage the Social Security increase in the current session of Congress.

He said he had talked with Majority Leader Mike Mansfield about attaching the increase as a rider to an excise tax extension bill that must be acted on before final adjournment.

## Accident at Augusta Fatal

AUGUSTA, Ark. (AP) — Richard Brown, 44, of Augusta was killed Tuesday when his car went out of control, overturned and ran into a ditch on Arkansas 33 about two miles north of here.

State Police said Brown was attempting to pass another vehicle when he lost control of his car.

## Two Charged With Rape Enter Pleas

EL DORADO, Ark. (AP) — Two men charged with first-degree rape entered different pleas in arraignments before Circuit Court Judge Harry Crumpler here Tuesday.

Clee Watkins, 21, of El Dorado appeared with an attorney, pleaded innocent and was freed on bond of \$7,500.

Hubert Foster, 21, also of El Dorado, appeared without an attorney and pleaded guilty, but Crumpler delayed sentencing pending an investigation.

The penalty for first-degree rape can be 30 years in prison, life in prison or execution.

The two men were charged in the alleged attack last Thursday night of an El Dorado woman in a wooded area east of the city.

## Precipitation Possibility for Arkansas

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The possibility of precipitation is back in the Arkansas forecast.

Mild weather is expected today but showers are expected over the state Thursday and may begin tonight.

Southerly winds moving northward from the Gulf of Mexico are expected to produce the showers. A low pressure system is developing over Nevada and will probably move through Arkansas Friday, bringing an end to warm temperatures.

Highs Tuesday were in the 50s and 60s and temperatures may reach into the mid 70s today and Thursday. Lows tonight will be in the 50s to mid 60s.

Overnight lows included 52 at Fayetteville, 47 at Harrison, 46 at Jonesboro, 52 at Pine Bluff, 56 at Texarkana, 53 at El Dorado, 46 at Memphis, 51 at Little Rock and 43 at Fort Smith. No rainfall was reported during the 24-hour period ending at 6 a.m.

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fairs desk of the State Department. Department testimony later made it appear the call was not placed.

Eustis, with tears in his eyes, told Brieze "he had no choice, as he had received his orders" from Boston, Brieze said.

Though sympathetic, Eustis sent the Lithuanian back to the Russian ship in the hands of Soviet seamen. American sailors who accompanied them returned to the Vigilant saying Kudirka reached the Russian ship "either unconscious or dead," the seafood executive told the committee.

Hays noted a Department of Transportation report that said Rear Adm. William D. Ellis, district commander in Boston, issued the order for Kudirka's return.

Ellis, Eustis and Boston district chief of staff, Capt. Fletcher W. Brown, have been suspended from active duty pending investigations of the defection attempt.

Adm. C.R. Bender, commander of the Coast Guard, earlier Tuesday told another House panel an investigating Coast Guard board "may or may not find culpability on the part of one or more Coast Guard personnel and may or may not recommend disciplinary action."

Bender—who was in Washington—said he was as poorly informed as the State Department appeared to have been. He got two messages that day—the same as the State Department received—one saying a defection might take place, and another, later, stating the defector "is being returned at this time."

He assumed it was then too late to ask for State Department guidance, Bender said.

## College Books Fouled Up, Defense Says

CONWAY, Ark. (AP) — The defense attorney in the Robert L. Pruitt embezzlement trial contended here Tuesday that bookkeeping at State College of Arkansas was so "fouled up" that thousands of dollars could have been taken by any number of persons.

Pruitt, former head cashier at SCA, is charged in a four-count indictment of diverting \$28,655 in college funds to his own use during a nine-month period in 1969. Pruitt now lives in Phoenix, Ariz.

Benny Horton, who became comptroller at SCA in July of 1969, testified Tuesday that he did not have a college degree but had attended Oklahoma City University and that he had 109 hours toward a major in accounting.

Horton said that Dr. Silas Snow, president of SCA, approved Horton's hiring because he was "very familiar" with the bookkeeping practices at the school.

Horton said there were monies that came into the college that receipts had not been given for. He said the only way to determine how much money was deposited on a given day would be to look at the bank deposit for that day.

Under cross examination, Horton said that about \$3 million in federal money had gone through the college's bookkeeping system in the last two years without receipts with which the money could be traced.

Prosecutor Jeff Mobley said Tuesday that Pruitt had initiated a daily "recap" sheet in January 1969 that showed a check deposited to the school for \$11,291.40, when the check actually should have been \$17,291.40. The check was deposited in the bank.

This is the second trial for Pruitt. His first trial in July ended in a mistrial when Mobley handed out campaign cards to two jurors.

Yates said taxpayers would have to pay the plane's \$3-billion to \$4-billion manufacturing cost, as well as the \$1.3 billion in federal money planned for development.



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## Calendar of Events

### Wednesday, December 9

The Fidelis Sunday School Class will have a Christmas Dinner Party Wednesday, December 9, at 7 p.m. Reservations must be made by Monday, December 7, by calling 777-2208.

### Thursday, December 10

Hope Country Club ladies will have a pot-luck bridge luncheon Thursday, December 10 at 12 noon. The Ladies Golf Association will meet Thursday, December 17. Please note change of date.

Thursday, December 10 in the home of Miss Velma Goss. Gifts of \$1 value will be exchanged.

The Victory Extension Homemakers Club will meet at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, December 10 in the home of Mrs. Eva McKinney. There will be a Christmas tree gift exchange, and Secret Pals will be revealed.

Hempstead County Hospital Auxiliary will have a dinner at the Diamond Thursday, December 10 at 7 p.m. Each member is asked to bring a gift for a nursing home patient.

### Friday, December 11

The Friday Music Club will meet Friday, December 11 at 3:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Hendrix, 515 E. 14th, with Mrs. Charles Batson and Mrs. B. W. Edwards, co-hostesses. There will be a program on Christmas Music.

The Hope Iris Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Herbert Cox at Fulton at 12:30 p.m. Friday, December 11 for a Christmas luncheon. Mrs. Moss Rowe will have the program, and gifts will be exchanged. Each member is asked to wear a corsage made of natural material.

The Jett B. Graves Class of the First United Methodist Church will have a Christmas party at the Brookwood School cafeteria Friday, December 11 at 7 p.m. Gifts of \$1 value will be exchanged. Hostesses: Mesdames Elmer Brown, Corbin Foster, Harry Hawthorne, Giles Foster, Royce Weisenberger and B.N. Holt.

### Saturday, December 12

Mrs. R.L. Gosnell will present her piano and organ students in recital on Saturday, December 12 at 9:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall of the First Presbyterian Church.

There will be a Country Music Jamboree Saturday, December 12, at 8 p.m. in the Patmos School Auditorium. This is the Christmas Jamboree and Santa will be present.

Guest bands will be The Colt 45's, Travis Down and the Westerners, Nancy Camp, Edna and the Misfits. There is no admission charge and the public is invited.

There will be a Christmas Dance at the Hope Country Club Saturday night, December 12, at 9 p.m. Music will be furnished by the Variables. The admission will be \$3.00 per couple.

### Monday, December 14

Circle No. 5 will meet in the home of Mrs. Lagrone Williams at 7:30 p.m. Co-hostesses are Mrs. H. E. Patterson, Mrs. June Still, Mrs. H. I. Townsend, and Mrs. Charles Burch. Gifts will be exchanged.

Guild No. 1 will meet in the

home of Mrs. E. R. Brown, with Mrs. Sue Perkins as co-hostess at 7:30 p.m.

The Deborah Class of the First Baptist Church will meet Monday, December 14 at 6:30 p.m. in the Gerald Trussell home for a potluck supper and Christmas party. Gifts will be exchanged.

### Tuesday, December 15

The Builders, Faith and Ruth Sunday School Classes of Adult Department III, First Baptist Church, will have their annual joint Christmas Dinner and social meeting at 7 p.m., Tuesday, December 15, 1970, in Fellowship Hall. The dinner will be pot luck. All members and associate members are urged to attend.

Ruth, Faith and Builders Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church will have their Christmas covered dish supper and party in the Educational Building of the church, Tuesday, December 15 at 7 p.m. Gifts will be exchanged.

The Jr. Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. John Graves Tuesday, December 15, at 9:30 a.m.

## Notice

The WMA of Unity Baptist Church will sponsor a Christmas Bazaar, Friday, December 11, in the lobby of the Bill Ellis Insurance Agency, 217 South Main.

Many different hand-made gifts will be for sale and will make nice Christmas gifts. Come by to see us.

### Shower Held for Bride-elect

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Waters, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Russell, Lynn and Mike had a buffet supper Friday, December 4 at the Russell home for Miss Debbie Watson and her fiancé, Bob Bledsoe of Pine Bluff. In addition to the supper, it was a gadget gift shower.

Miss Watson wore a colorful pant suit outfit and was presented a white carnation corsage. The quartet tables were covered in red cloths and centered with a white candle and white carnations.

The Rev. and Mrs. Doyle Bledsoe of Pine Bluff, parents of the prospective groom, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson, parents of the bride-elect, were among the 32 guests. Both Mrs. Bledsoe and Mrs. Watson had white carnation corsages.

### Duplicate Bridge Play

Three tables of players met for the Hope Duplicate Bridge Club on Monday, December 7 at the Diamond. They included one out-of-town player, Dave Forrest of Asheville, N.C.

Winning couples were: first, Mrs. R.L. Broach and Mrs. Syd McMath; second, Mrs. R.T. White and Mrs. E.P. Young, Jr.; third, R.L. Broach and Dr. Lynn Harris.

American Legion Jr. Auxiliary The American Legion Jr. Auxiliary met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Moore, Tuesday, December 1.

Business was discussed by the group. Members brought a can of food and a quarter for a food basket for a needy family. Cold drinks and cookies were served at a buffet table to 19 members. The meeting was adjourned by the Chairman, Mary Jane Reyenga.

### Coming, Going

Mrs. E. P. Young joined friends in El Dorado last week and attended the Tex.-Ark. game in Austin. They enjoyed dinner at The Barn afterwards.

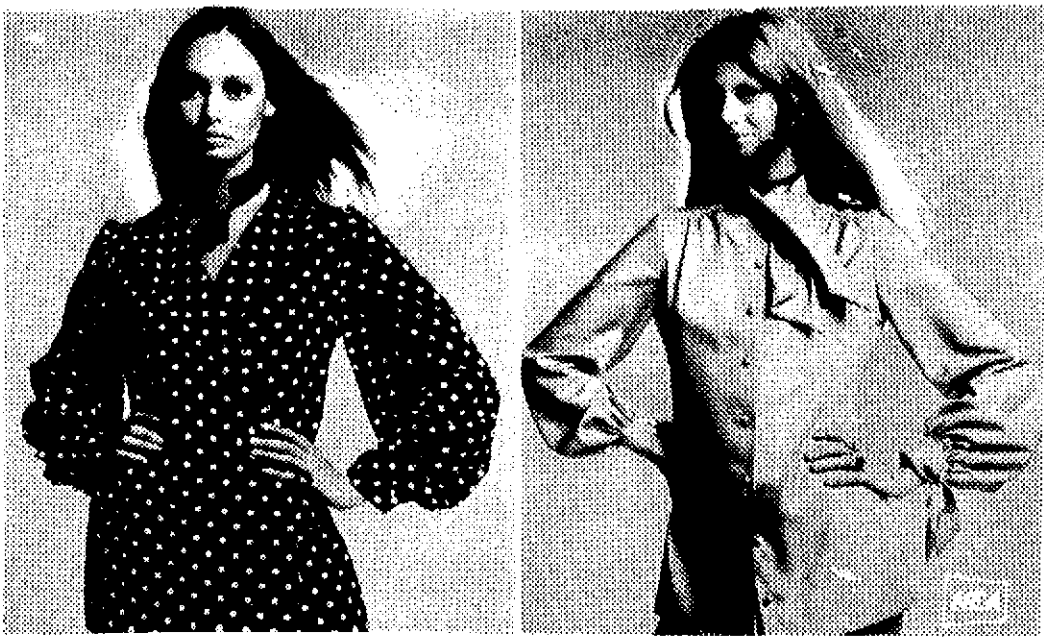
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Smith and Scott of Los Angeles will arrive Friday for Christmas with Mrs. T.L. Smith and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E.P. Young, Jr., Paul and Mary, Mrs. Rose Marie Shirey and Bill went to Conway last weekend and visited Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd Guerin.

Mrs. Jim Pruden, Mrs. Clarence Geist and Mrs. Paul Klipsch went to Little Rock Friday and attended the Olde West Dinner Theater. On Saturday they went to a board meeting of the Arkansas Federation of Republican Women and were house guests of Mrs. Robert Webb, state president.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klipsch and James McLarty went to Heber Springs Sunday to see Mr. and Mrs. Phil McLarty.

Mrs. C. P. Tolleson has returned from a months visit in Troy, Michigan, with Senator and Mrs. Robert Huber.



The holiday and resort seasons are perfect times to pair pants or skirts with the ultimate in luxurious topping—beautiful blouses. Gayle Kirkpatrick's dotted wrap with belled sleeves (left) has a long lean look. Scarf-tied collar and voluminous tie-cuffed bell sleeves put the accent on femininity in the Pilot blouse (right). In spite of their delicate look, both designs are in wrinkle-free, washable Qiana.

## More Facts About Social Security

By KEN HARGIS

If you have any questions regarding social security, I invite your letters. Just send them to Ken Hargis, P.O. Box 1319, Texarkana, Texas 75501.

QUESTION: I will be 65 next July and want to receive my social security. I plan to turn my business over to my wife and then work for a small wage. Will I be eligible?

ANSWER: Don't count on it. The arrangement you describe sounds very questionable. Regardless of who is listed as the owner or operator, we will have to consider the economic value of your services to the business in order to determine if you are retired within the meanings of the social security law.

QUESTION: I received a check for reimbursement of medical expenses on my husband's Medicare account after his death. What should I do with the check?

ANSWER: It should be returned so that the check can be reissued in your name. Get in touch with the social security office to obtain a special form to be returned with the check.

QUESTION: I became entitled to Medicare in February of last year, and my retirement benefit rate was figured at that time, although I did not retire. My earnings for 1969 were high enough to raise my benefit rate. Do I need to make a report to social security to get my benefits raised?

ANSWER: No, your benefit will be automatically refigured by a computer operation after the additional earnings are credited to your account.

QUESTION: I have a daughter who is mentally retarded. She is receiving social security based on my earnings before I retired, but she is almost 18. Will her benefits stop when she reaches that age?

ANSWER: Not if you file a claim to continue her benefits. They may continue for the rest of her life unless she should become able to work. If she is within six months of age 18, get in touch with your social security representative to present evidence of her disability. At that time, you will need to furnish the names and addresses of doctors and hospitals who have treated her.

QUESTION: I worked under social security four years before becoming a housewife. Do I lose credit for the work if I do not go back to work within a certain time?

ANSWER: You will never lose credit for those earnings. However, depending on your age, you will probably need to earn additional work credits to receive a benefit on your own account at age 62.

## Contempt Case Hearing Postponed

EL DORADO, Ark. (AP) — Chancery Judge Henry Yocum postponed Tuesday until next month a contempt hearing that had been scheduled for Tuesday in a labor dispute between Great Lakes Chemical Co. and Local 5-434 of the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers Union.

The company requested the delay because its attorney, James Houston of Little Rock, was absent due to a death in his family.

The hearing was set so the union could answer a petition filed by the company alleging "continual intimidation and harassment" of Great Lakes employees.

## HELEN HELP US!

by Helen Bottel

OLD ENOUGH TO LIVE ALONE—BUT WILL THEY? Dear Helen:

This woman has been a widow for 35 years, is now 76. She had five children, three married, and two still living at home! These two are 35 and 37.

At dinner time she fixes their plates as if they were 10-year-olds. She buys their clothes and tells them what to do, even though both have good jobs and seem moderately intelligent. They're normal, I mean, though they have no social life outside of their mother's friends.

Don't you think she should untie the apron strings and let them go? — NOSEY NEIGHBOR Dear Neighbor:

Don't you think if they had wanted to go, they'd have done so long before this? Those apron strings may only be untied by death — and then two middle-aged people may find themselves very much alone in a world they've never learned to face. — H.

Dear Helen: My husband has all he wanted: A very good job, prestige, clothes that enhance his good looks, a fine car, and his choice of women! Perhaps he doesn't take advantage of that choice — yet — but he loves the feeling that they consider him a good catch (even though married).

He started climbing the ladder of success when our children were in their teens. I was so busy raising the three of them that I didn't see he was drifting away from me. I've never wanted a career — being a wife and mother was enough. But now I'm neither — just an anchor, and feeling pretty well encrusted with barnacles.

You see, I didn't have a college education. I don't talk well at parties. I have no polish. My husband has all these attributes and, besides, he looks 10 years

younger than me. He doesn't say it, but I know he'd be glad if I just disappeared so that he wouldn't be ashamed of me.

Should I leave a note and vanish? The children are all grown and gone, so nothing holds me back any more. — NO LONGER NEEDED Dear N.L.N.:

For heavens sake, get off your self-pity and starting competing! Take a self-improvement course, enroll at college, volunteer for worthwhile community projects, fix up your figure and face; look alive! And act it!

Your husband chose you because he loved you above any other woman. If you weren't still his choice, he'd be out chasing (which you indicate hasn't happened — yet). So stop the "Poor little left-behind me" routine and start catching up. A visit to your doctor might help you develop the energy for it. — H.

Dear Helen: "Soft-Hearted" mourned about all the dogs and cats taken to the pound. Might I remind her that slaughterhouses are filled with animals who don't want to die — and they aren't flesh-eaters either. Those poor innocent cows, pigs, lambs, etc., are killed every day. Does she mourn them — or enjoy the chop?

A dog, when unrestrained is a killer — responsible for the deaths of more deer than poachers kill. A cat tortures its prey to death — and not from need to eat.

I love and respect all animal life, but I am provoked with people who shed tears for the poor "pets" who are humanely put to sleep at the shelter, when they have no feeling for those larger animals they raise for food. — HARD-HEARTED

## Television and Radio

By CYNTHIA LOWRY

AP Television-Radio Writer NEW YORK (AP) — Part of NBC's master plan for jazzing up the second half of its current season is showing only "world premiere" features instead of film reruns in its Monday night movie spot.

If all the upcoming made-for-TV efforts move at the pace of Tuesday night's "world premiere," it promises to be a long winter. The two-hour program was called "Breakout," and was one of those prison dramas built around one man determined to escape.

At the end of one hour and a half, nothing much had happened except to set the stage for the big wind up. The characters included Joe Baker, a bank robber with a heart of gold, played with remarkable inscrutability by James Drury; his prison pal, acted by Woody Strode; a comedy relief role, a prisoner called "Pipes," played by Red Buttons, using a squeaky voice, and an assortment of guards, accomplices and, of course the girl.

The program began in an unidentified state penitentiary, but was actually shot at Folsom Prison in California. The location of our hero's escape attempt was the high Sierras.

A two hour action show needs more than an authentic background and great scenery. By the time "Break Out" moved into the meat of the story, it was perfectly obvious what would happen.

The prisoners, a work gang logging on the mountain, were pressed into a hunt for a boy missing in a blizzard. Naturally, Joe found the boy while trying to escape—and naturally took the youngster back to his parents and himself, presumably, back to jail.

Meanwhile, Morley Safer was making his debut as co-host on

CBS's "60 Minutes." He narrated and appeared in a segment describing the work and training of sky marshals now riding shotgun on the commercial airlines in efforts to foil skyjackers.

Safer's style is more flamboyant and aggressive than that of Harry Reasoner, whose place he has taken on the show. Because Mike Wallace operates in much the same fashion, the program promises to become more hard-hitting and dynamic.

In the segment, viewers saw the interior of a trans-Atlantic plane and heard some anonymous sky marshals talk of their functions. There were shots of passengers willingly submitting to an electronic frisking as officials hunted for guns.

It has been several seasons since NBC presented the shocker, "Who Killed Lake Erie?" Now comes a poet, Rod McKuen, with an NBC special about animals on the verge of extinction from greed, carelessness, disease or over-crowding. It will be seen on Jan. 8.

## Cost to Run for Office Is Cited

HOT SPRINGS, Ark. (AP) — Rep. Bill Alexander, D-Ark., told a meeting of the Arkansas Electric Cooperatives here Monday night that the high cost of running for political office "counted out" most men before they could qualify as a candidate.

Alexander said that if campaign spending continues to soar "we will break faith in America." He said the nation's founders worked "long and hard to insure that it would be governed by the people, not by power brokers."

The time for enactment of spending control legislation has passed, he said. "When the novelty of a topic of discussion wears away, the voters must move onto other subjects."

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## CHATTER

Bill Chatter

Your City is a city of many attractions. . . some well known and others less so. There are many enjoyable things to do here. . . and we like to think shopping is one of them. This is the glorious Holiday season and we have 101 items we think she would love to have. . . we will list a few every time we chat with you.

Here is the list for today:

1. Costume jewelry. . . keep her in chains. . . gold ones, chunky ones, small dainty ones, some attached to pendants and lockets. . . some long and some short. . . priced from \$2 right on up!
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3. Peignoirs, gowns, robes, pajamas and scarfs. All are appreciated gifts for her.
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# Hope Star Sports

## Hope Teams in Victory at Gurdon

By BILL MOORE  
Star Sports Writer

Last night in Gurdon, the Hope Ladycats outmanned the Gurdon girls, 61-50, and the Bobcats shelled the Go-Devs, 93-48, for a double win.

In the first game, the Ladycats never met any trouble as they took an early lead and kept adding points, to raise their season record to 2-3.

Action began with Hope taking the tipoff and seeing Betty Rodden later hit two separate free throws for the never relinquishing lead. Dee Singleton and Janet McCain added points and soon Hope had an 8-1 lead with 3:41 left to go in the first period.

After Peggy Blanton hit three points for Gurdon all three forwards hit two charity shots each for a 14-4 lead with 1:17 left. With less than a minute left, Singleton and McCain hit a basket each to give the Ladycats a 22-10 lead, moving into the second period.

Four points by Rodden and a two pointer by Singleton pushed the Hope girls to a 28-10 lead, but points by Blanton and Jane Tarpley pulled Gurdon to within 11 points of the lead.

However, McCain and Rodden each hit a quick field goal and at halftime, Hope led 34-17.

Taking the second half tipoff Hope kept marching on goals by Singleton and Rodden for a 42-21 lead with 2:15 left in the third quarter. Five straight shots by Rodden gave Hope a 47-26 lead at the end of the third period.

After Rodden hit a two pointer with 5:47 left, guard Cindy Hollis left the action with an injured knee and Renee Quillin came in to replace her.

Free throws by McCain and Singleton lifted the score with three minutes left to 54-38. Forty-three seconds later McCain hit five straight points and with only 24 seconds left in the game, after Gail Covington and Blanton combined to hit eight straight points, Singleton sunk two free shots for Hope's last points.

Usually, not much is said about the guards, who never get to score, but defense is much of the game and they played superbly last night, rebounding and getting the ball to the forwards without much trouble. Guards seeing playing time were Cindy Hollis, Betty Honeycutt, Janice Hobson, Sandra Hamilton, Renee Quillin, Sharon Brown, and Judy Reyenga, while Carol Hobson and Julia Brown also played with the offensive unit.

Rodden hit 25 points, McCain popped in 19 points, and Singleton ripped the nets for 16 points, while Blanton hit 18 for Gurdon.

In the second game, after started with a close game early, the Bobcats led at half 47-25, and from there on coasted in, emptying the bench of all the players.

After falling behind, David Briggs and Parker Powell hit shots to knot the score at three all and after playing on even terms for the next four minutes, the Bobcats took the lead for good, 12-11, on a jumpshot by Powell from outside. Two free throws by Lynn Norton gave Hope a 16-15 lead with the quarter practically over.

Moving on, Powell and John Dudley began firing the ball through the hoop and with 5:23 left after Norton again hit two free throws, Hope held a 26-19 lead.

Using the two inside men, Dudley and Norton, and the outside shooting of Powell, the Bobcats hit 18 points, in less than three minutes and commanded a 47-25 at halftime.

Coming back out, Powell hit the initial two points and two minutes later after Hope hit a shooting spree, Briggs, Dudley, Powell, and Steve Harris all hit a bucket for a 61-33 Hope lead.

Hope led at the end of the third period, 65-35, after Harris hit a layup with 0:09 showing on the clock.

Outscoring the Go-Devs 28-9 in the final period, the Bobcats emptied the bench, as everyone got in some playing time.

Going without a point for over a minute, Bill Rowland, Dudley,

## Celtics Just Can't Catch the Knicks

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
The Boston Celtics are running faster than anyone thought they would, but they still can't catch the New York Knicks.

The Celtics, picked by many to finish out of the playoffs—behind the Knicks and Philadelphia in the National Basketball Association's Atlantic Division, have run themselves right into second place.

Using a lightning fast break led by perpetually moving John Havlicek, the Celtics have reeled off nine straight victories, the last a 122-102 sprint past Buffalo Tuesday night.

However, the surge still has left Boston three games behind New York, which moves along pretty quickly, too, swishing past running, gunning Portland 139-121.

In other games, Milwaukee pummeled the Atlanta Hawks 125-104, Seattle came back to beat Philadelphia 107-104, the Chicago Bulls held down San Francisco 98-87 and Los Angeles defeated Phoenix 121-112.

In the American Basketball Association, Virginia edged the New York Nets 120-116 and Utah hammered Memphis 125-106.

The Celtics, displaying the type of fast break that helped them to 11 NBA titles in 13 seasons before their decline, rushed to a 50-44 halftime lead, and when the Braves closed to within six in the final quarter, Havlicek turned on the steam again. He finished with 34 points.

Willis Reed did the damage for the Knicks, leading them on a 14-2 run at the end of the first quarter and then to 13 straight points at the end of the second for a 66-48 halftime lead that never was threatened. Reed finished with 37 points.

Jon McGlocklin scored 10 of his 17 points at the start of the third period, lifting Milwaukee from a 58-53 intermission lead to a 75-62 spread, and Atlanta never caught up. Lew Alcindor had 24 points for the Bucks, who won for the 21st time in 24 games. Lou Hudson had 30 and Pete Maravich 29 for the Hawks.

Seattle trailed 70-56 in the third quarter and by seven points entering the final session before Dick Snyder scored 11 of his 21 points, including a basket that put the SuperSonics ahead to stay 96-95.

Bob Love scored a point for each year and then some as he celebrated his 28th birthday by leading Chicago past the Warriors with 30 points. Ron Williams had 23 for the Warriors, who played without Jeff Mullins.

Wilt Chamberlain powered undermanned Los Angeles past Phoenix with 36 points and Jerry West contributed 32. The injury-riddled Lakers used only seven players. Connie Hawkins topped the Suns with 24.

Los Angeles went in front for good in the third period, triggered by a 13-point spurt by West in the quarter. Phoenix cut the deficit to six points in the final minute before Chamberlain clinched matters with a pair of baskets.

## Fresh Yankee Is Harness Horse of Year

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Fresh Yankee is the U.S. Trotting Association's 1970 harness horse of the year, the first time a Canadian-owned star has received the honor.

The 7-year-old trotting mare collected 110 votes out of 207 cast in nationwide balloting by harness writers. Most Happy Fella was the No. 2 choice followed by Timothy T.

Fresh Yankee, owned by Duncan A. MacDonald of Sydney, Nova Scotia, was bought for \$900 as a yearling and has lifetime earnings of \$830,393.

Most Happy Fella, owned by Stanley Dancer's Egyptian Acre Stable of New Egypt, N.J., was chosen pacer of the year.

### Fights

Tuesday's Fights  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
LONDON—Joe Bugner, 214½, London, stopped Miguel Paez, 196½, Argentina, 3; Tomi Be-thea, 158½, New York, outpointed Mark Rowe, 159, London, 10.

## Coffey Was Recommended by Broyles

BLACKSBURG, Va. (AP) — Charles E. Coffey, head defensive coach at Arkansas since 1966, became head football coach at Virginia Tech Tuesday, succeeding Jerry Claiborne, who resigned Nov. 25 after a 10-year tenure.

Tech Athletic Director Frank O. Moseley announced that Coffey, 36-year-old former star defensive lineman at Tennessee, had been signed to a five-year contract. Terms were not revealed.

Coffey, who was hired after two days of conferences with Moseley and Tech's President, Dr. T. Marshall Hahn, said he thinks Tech "can have a wonderful football program—but it will not be done overnight."

"I am not a person who will come in saying he will move mountains," the new coach said. "It will be a steady process."

Tech's football ambitions are high and, during Claiborne's decade as coach, the university here poured many hundreds of thousands of dollars into the program.

Claiborne's 10 teams at Tech won 69 games, lost 31 and tied two—a winning average of nearly .700—but he was ousted after two straight losing seasons. His 1966 and 1968 teams went to the Liberty Bowl, but his 1969 team finished 4-5-1 and, after the 1970 team dropped its first five games, he was notified in October his contract would not be renewed. Tech then won five of its last six for a final 5-6 record.

Coffey is a native of Shelbyville, Tenn. He was a defensive guard and defensive tackle at Tennessee, where he was captain his senior year.

He was recommended for the Tech position by Frank Broyles, head football coach at Arkansas, who said Coffey "has a great football mind and is one of the best organizers with whom I've ever come in contact."

### SPORT SHORTS

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
KANSAS CITY (AP) — Linebacker Jerry Murtough of Nebraska was named the Big Eight Conference Defensive Player of the Year today in the voting by sports writers and broadcasters.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Stanford quarterback Jim Plunkett was named Tuesday as winner of the 20th annual Voit Memorial Trophy, thus repeating the honor he won last year as the top collegiate football player on the West Coast.

The senior from San Jose, Calif., earlier had captured the Heisman Trophy as the nation's most valuable collegian.

and Powell all hit the net, for a 72-41 score with 5:55 left. Twelve points in a little over a minute, put the Bobcats in an 84-41 lead.

Still moving, the reserves began to come in and they too did well. Hope's last two points came with 0:46 showing, as Ronnie Massanelli sank a jumper.

Powell led Hope with 24 points, followed by Dudley with 21, Norton sacking 17, Briggs 13, and Buddy Ingram eight. Jim Tarpley led the Go-Devs with 11 points.

On Friday, the Bobcats and Ladycats travel to Foreman, for a pair of games, with the girls game starting at 6:30 p.m.

## Solunar Tables

The schedule of Solunar Periods, as printed below, has been taken from Richard Alden Knight's SOLUNAR TABLES. Plan your days so that you will be fishing in good territory or hunting in good cover during these times, if you wish to find the best sport that each day has to offer.

		A.M.		P.M.	
Dec.	Day	Minor	Major	Minor	Major
9	Wednesday	1:35	7:40	1:50	8:10
10	Thursday	2:20	8:30	2:40	9:00
11	Friday	3:15	9:20	3:30	9:50
12	Saturday	4:00	10:15	4:25	10:45
13	Sunday	5:00	11:10	5:20	11:45

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### Basketball

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NBA

Eastern Conference  
Atlantic Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
New York	23	9	.719	—
Boston	18	10	.643	3
Philadelphia	16	15	.516	6½
Buffalo	8	20	.286	13

Central Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Baltimore	16	12	.571	—
Cincinnati	10	16	.385	5
Atlanta	7	19	.269	8
Cleveland	2	27	.069	14½

Western Conference  
Midwest Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Milwaukee	21	3	.875	—
Detroit	18	10	.643	5
Phoenix	18	13	.581	6½
Chicago	14	11	.560	7½

Pacific Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Los Angeles	16	10	.615	—
San Diego	16	14	.533	2
San Fran.	15	14	.517	2½
Portland	14	16	.467	4
Portland	9	22	.290	9½

Tuesday's Results

New York 130, Portland 121	
Boston 122, Buffalo 102	
Chicago 98, San Francisco 87	
Seattle 107, Philadelphia 104	
Milwaukee 128, Atlanta 104	
Los Angeles 121, Phoenix 112	

Only games scheduled

Wednesday's Games

Milwaukee at Baltimore	
Seattle at Cincinnati	
San Francisco at Detroit	
Portland at Cleveland	

Only games scheduled

Thursday's Games

Chicago vs. Buffalo at Syracuse, N.Y.	
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Only game scheduled

ABA

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Kentucky	19	7	.731	—
Virginia	17	10	.630	2½
New York	12	13	.480	6½
Floridians	12	14	.462	7
Pittsburgh	11	18	.379	9½
Carolina	9	17	.346	10

West Division

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Utah	18	8	.692	—
Indiana	15	10	.600	2½
Memphis	13	13	.500	5
Texas	9	16	.360	8½
Denver	8	17	.320	9½

Tuesday's Results

Virginia 120, New York 116	
Utah 125, Memphis 106	

Only games scheduled

Wednesday's Games

Denver vs. Virginia at Madison Square Garden, New York	
Indiana vs. New York at Madison Square Garden, New York	

Only games scheduled

Thursday's Games

New York vs. Virginia at Hampton, Va.	
Pittsburgh at Denver	
Memphis at Floridians	

Only games scheduled

Tuesday's College Basketball

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East

NYU 81, CCNY 69	
Villanova 95, Detroit 67	
Pittsburgh 81, Wisconsin 78	
Indiana, Pa. 78, California, Pa. 72	
Hofstra 74, Temple 72, OT	
Delaware 67, Randolph-Macon 62	

South

Rutgers 74, Columbia 61	
No. Caro. A&M 86, So. La. 70	
Tennessee 60, Wake Forest 59	
Furman 101, Presbyterian 65	
Maryland 85, Lehigh 66	

Midwest

Indiana 80, Australia Nat'l's 72	
Northwestern 98, Butler 79	
No. Tex. St. 79, Ind. St. 72	
St. Louis U. 79, Missouri 70	
Marquette 70, Minnesota 61	
Akron 106, Otterbein 86	
Drake 87, Iowa State 63	
Iowa 82, Ashland 56	
Warburg 65, Luther 46	
Illinois 96, Vanderbilt 79	
SMU 91, Okla. City 74	

Southwest

Sam Houston St. 106, Texas Southern 96	
Trinity, Tex. 70, Samford, Ala. 69	
Baylor 108, Lamar Tech 100	
Colorado 61, Calif.-Santa Barbara 59	
California 90, San Jose St. 55	
San Diego U. 82, Redlands 60	
Claremont-Mudd 80, Westmont 65	

Tournaments

Boston Beano! Third Place

Northeastern 75, Boston U. 60	
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Championship

Boston College 73, Harvard 71	
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Civilian

Geo. Wash. 95, So. Miss. 90	
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Championship

Jacksonville 114, Fla. St. 108	
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Arkansas Basketball Scores

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

College

Southern State College 91, College of the Ozarks 73	
Henderson State College 99,	

## Little All America Team Named

By HERSHEL NISSENSEN  
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Leon Burns, a smashing power runner from Long Beach State—whom his coach says is better than O. J. Simpson and Mike Garrett—was named to the Small College All-America team for the second year in a row today by The Associated Press.

Joining the 228-pound senior in the offensive backfield are three record-breakers—quarterback Jim Lindsey of Abilene Christian and running backs Leon McQuay of Tampa and Joe Profit of Northeast Louisiana.

Two more record-setters are ends John Curtis of Springfield and Harold "Red" Roberts of Austin Peay.

Burns runs the 40 in 4.5 and is very strong. He's also 27 years old and that's the only reservation the pros have about him.

After gaining 1,659 yards in 1969, Burns got off to a slow start this season because of an ankle injury. But he wound up with 1,033 yards on 275 carries, caught five passes for 89 yards and scored 20 touchdowns.

In a two-year career he gained 2,692 yards and scored 47 times.

Coach Jim Strangeland knows whereof he speaks when he compares Burns to Simpson and Garrett because he coached those two while an assistant at Southern Cal.

Lindsey was called by one opposing coach "the best passer in Texas, including Chuck Hixson." He holds the all-time NCAA career passing record of 8,521 yards—and that includes large and small schools and the fact that he missed the last game with a broken collarbone.

This season, Lindsey completed 198 of 369 passes for 2,707 yards—including 414 against top-rated Arkansas State—and 22 touchdowns.

McQuay, one of two juniors on the first team, set a Tampa ground-gaining record of 706 yards in 1968 and broke it last year with 971. This season, he carried 196 times for 1,362 yards—a 6.9 average, returned 14 kickoffs for 396 yards and scored 20 touchdowns.

Profit, a 206-pounder who has 9.5 speed over 100 yards, is the Gulf Coast Conference's all-time rushing champ and was named to the league's Team of the Decade for the 1960s.

Curtis set New England game (214) and season (1,000) records for reception yardage in 1969 and was awarded all sorts of special defenses this season. Still, he grabbed 43 passes for 753 yards—a 17.5 average—and set a New England career record of 1,848 yards.

Roberts, the other end, played on mediocre Austin Peay teams and without an exceptional quarterback, but still became the sixth receiver in history to snag more than 200 passes. Coach Jimmy Feix of Western Kentucky calls him "the best clutch receiver I've ever coached against."

The interior line consists of a pair of likely early-round prospects at the tackles—268-pound Vernon Holland of Tennessee State and 250-pound Melvin Holmes of North Carolina A&T. The guards are 248-pound Bill Phillips of Arkansas State—the other junior on the team—and 265-pound Conway Hayman of Delaware while at center is little—compared to his running-mates—215-pound Jimmy Champion of Jacksonville, Ala., State.

On the defensive unit are ends Lawrence Brame of Western Kentucky and Richard Harris of Grambling, tackles Fred Carter of Alcorn A&M and Charles Roundtree of Grambling and guard Margarito Guerrero of Texas A&I. The line averages a pro-size 251 pounds, and that includes Brame, who weighs a mere 212.

The linebackers are Ronnie Hornsby of Southeastern Louisiana, Len Pettigrew of Ashland and Isiah Robertson of Southern

Hendrix College 75

Quachita Baptist University 91,

Arkansas A&M 75

Arkansas College 66, Harding

College 58

Arkansas A&N 93, State College of Arkansas 81

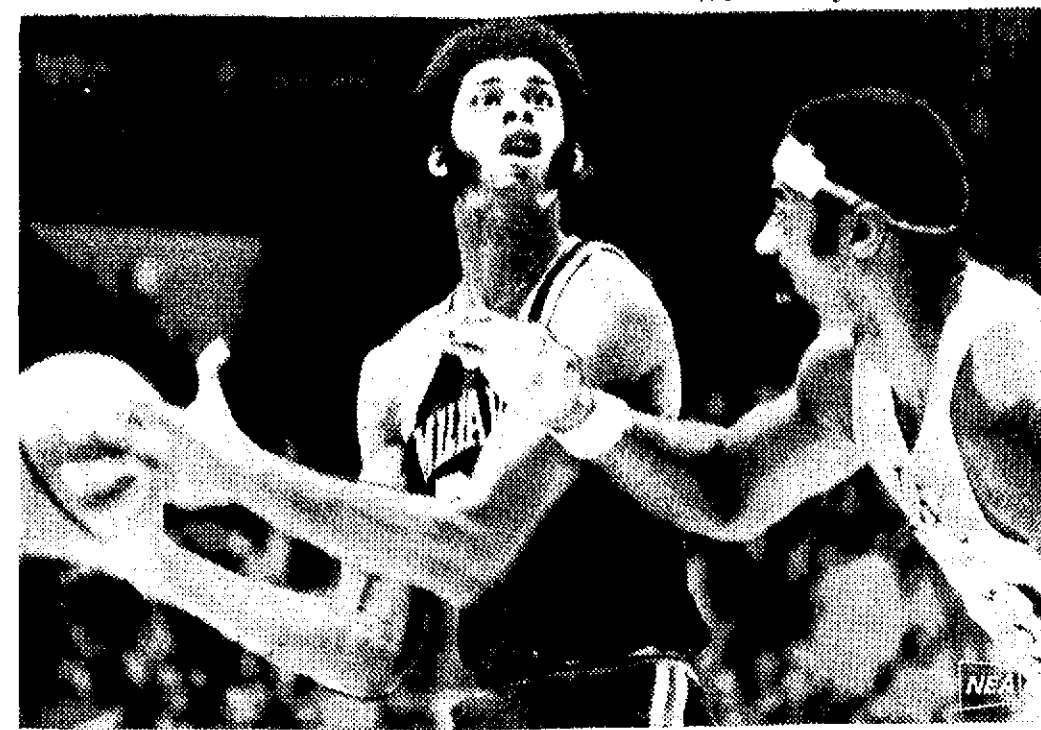
High School

Little Rock Mills 62, North Little Rock Northeast 61

Fayetteville 66, Bentonville 53

Russellville 71, Little Rock Central 69

Jonesboro 67, Greene County Tech 65





# Dolphins Capture Tournament

By TED MEIER  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
The way Artis Gilmore of the Jacksonville Dolphins is going he could be the college basketball player of the year as well as the highest scorer.

The 7-foot-2 giant did it again Tuesday night. He scored 31 points and grabbed 26 rebounds in leading the Dolphins to a 114-108 victory over Florida State in the final of the Civitan Charity tournament.

He now has scored 139 points in the four games the nationally third-ranked Dolphins have won and was an unanimous choice as the outstanding player in the tourney.

The largest crowd ever to see a college basketball game in Florida, 10,112, watched the game at Jacksonville and cheered Gilmore as he dominated the boards against the Seminole's 6-11 sophomore, Reggie Royals.

"We aren't really trying to make Artis the national scoring champion," said Tom Wassdin, coach of the Dolphins. "We are trying to win games and we are going to our strength."

In other games involving the Associated Press Top Ten, fourth-ranked Marquette downed Minnesota 70-61, seventh-ranked Drake crushed Iowa State 87-63 and Villanova, No. 10, humbled Detroit 95-67.

Among the Second Ten, No. 17 Tennessee shaded Wake Forest 60-59 and No. 11 Indiana defeated the touring Australia Nationals 80-72.

Boston College nipped Harvard 73-71 in the final of the Beanpot Tourney. In other games Hofstra upset Temple 74-72 in overtime, Illinois topped Vanderbilt 96-79, Pitt overcame Wisconsin 81-76 and California routed San Jose State 90-55.

Soph 6-1 Jim Chones with 25 points, led Marquette over Minnesota. Tom Bush paced Drake with 23 points and Chris Ford's 28 points led Villanova.

Mike Edwards hit a jump shot from the corner with eight seconds left to give Tennessee its one-point victory. Charlie Davis of Wake Forest dribbled the length of the floor and sank a layup in the last second, but officials ruled the horn had sounded before he got the shot off.

Jimmy O'Brien stole the ball and scored in the last six seconds to give Boston College its victory over Harvard in the Beanpot final.

Temple's setback by Hofstra was the Owls' first defeat in 18 years on their home court. Clutch foul shooting by Al Wolfson, Dave Bell and Quinas Brower won for Hofstra in the overtime.

Greg Jackson, 6-8, led Illinois over Vandy with 29 points while Rod Freeman scored 31 for the Commodores. Kent Scott's 32 points paced Pitt over Wisconsin.

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Southern Methodist beat Oklahoma City 91-74 behind 33 points by Bobby Rollings. Rutgers whipped Columbia 74-61 and North Texas State defeated Indiana State 79-72.

## Senior Bowl North Squad Announced

MOBILE, Ala. (AP) — Quarterbacks Lynn Dickey of Kansas State and Dan Pastorini of Santa Clara head up a 29-man North squad announced Tuesday for the Senior Bowl All-Star game Jan. 9.

They will be aided by a speedy corps of receivers led by H.D. Hill of Arizona State and two of the top running backs in the Big Eight Conference, Kansas' John Riggins and Missouri's Jim Harrison.

The North squad for the 22nd annual post-season game was announced by Senior Bowl President Theodore K. Jackson.

He said the South squad will be named within a few days.

A capacity crowd of 40,646 is expected for the 1 p.m., CST, kickoff. The game will be televised nationally (NBC).

Dickey, despite rib injuries during part of the season, passed for 2,163 yards in 1970 and boosted his career total to 6,208 yards on 501 completions.

Pastorini, described by pro scouts as "a real diamond in the rough," passed for almost 4,000 yards for the Santa Clara Broncos.

Other receivers are Kansas State's Henry Hawthorne and Oklahoma State's Herman Eban. At tight end will be Doug Dieken of Illinois.

Other running backs are Fred Willis of Boston College and Clarence Davis from Southern California.

Interior offensive linemen include:

Centers—Tom Beard of Michigan State, 6-6, 252; and Leo Dillon of Dayton University, 6-3, 235.

Guards and tackles—Marv Montgomery of Southern California, 6-6, 245; Bob Newton of Nebraska, 6-4, 248; Laron Jackson, 6-3, 261; and Dennis Havig of Colorado, 6-3, 230.

Defensive linemen are Iowa's Layne McDowell, 6-4, 232; Cincinnati's Bob Bell, 6-3, 245; UCLA's Tim Oesterling, 6-4, 240; Nebraska's Dave Walline, 6-2, 238; and Missouri's Jay Wallace, 6-2, 225.

Linebackers Oscar Gibson of Kansas State, Dale Farley of West Virginia and Phil Villapiano of Bowling Green average 6-2 and 230.

Defensive backs include Utah's Norm Thompson, Clarence Scott of Kansas State Chris Farasopoulos of Brigham Young and Tom Duncan of Toledo.

**Bananas**  
Three-hundred bunches of bananas weighing from 50 to 125 pounds each may be produced annually on an acre of land, according to Encyclopaedia Britannica.

## Lindsey Rated Tops in College Division

NEW YORK (AP) — Jim Lindsey of Ableene Christian and Tim Von Dalm of Portland State, a pair of former sore, armed quarterbacks, once again share the crown as the most potent field generals in College Division football history.

For the second successive year they rank one-two in passing and total offense after the final 1970 statistics were released today by National Collegiate Sports Services.

It's the first time in the 22-year history of the NCAA college division records that two players have held such a dominant role. Both are seniors.

Lindsey won the total offense crown, amassing an average of 294.9 rushing-passing yards a game to Von Dalm's 276.5 average. Von Dalm captured the passing title, averaging 25.9 completions a game to Lindsey's 22.0.

Halfback Dave Kiaris of Trinity, Conn., nosed out Marshall Flora as the 1970 rushing champion with a 171.8 yard-per-game average. Flora, of Bridgewater, Va., wound up with a 170.7 average.

Mike DiBiasi of Mt. Union won the scoring championship with 14.7 points a game, John Bonner of UT-Chattanooga was the premier punter with a 44.4-yard average, the punt-return crown went to Kevin Downs of St. Procopius with a 23.2-yard average, Mike Scullin of Baldwin-Wallace grabbed the kickoff-return title with a 35.1-yard average and the thief of the year was Southern University's Jim Blackwell who snatched 1.3 interceptions per game.

## SMU, Baylor Post SWC Cage Wins

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Southern Methodist and Baylor won the only games played Tuesday involving Southwest Conference teams, but the victories did little to help the SWC's dismal intersectional record.

SMU got a career high 33 points from Bobby Rollings as the Ponies downed Oklahoma City 91-74 and Baylor pulled ahead in the final 12 minutes to down Lamar Tech 108-100.

The victory gave the Mustangs the best record in the league at 3-1. Baylor now is 3-2. But the conference record against outside competition is an unimpressive 10-16.

The knockout punch came Monday night when all five SWC teams in action were defeated.

Gene Phillips added 24 points in support of Rollings for the Mustangs, who led 39-31 at the half and built on that margin in the second half. The 27-point spread at the end of the game was SMU's biggest lead of the night.

SMU played without starter Steve Putnam, who remained in Dallas with the flu.

Baylor, led by Willie Chatmon with 29 and Bobby Thompson with 27 points, hit a hot 52 per cent from the field to 42 per cent for Lamar Tech, which lost for the first time in four games.

Each team had five players in double figures. Lowell Hill led Lamar Tech with 23 followed by Luke Adams with 20.

## Kansas Leads Liberty Bowl Track Assault

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — Kansas led an assault on the Liberty Bowl track meet's record books Tuesday night and in the process twisted the title away from two-time winner Tennessee.

Led by massive Karl Salb and Steve Wilhelm in the shot put and lanky Brian McElroy in the distances and relays, the Big Eight champion Jayhawks amassed 60 points to Tennessee's 46.

The Southwest Conference champions, Texas A&M, finished in a tie for third with Memphis State. Each had 22 points.

Kansas leaped to an early lead in the contest and never fell back after Salb heaved the shot 59 feet, 4 1/2 inches to set a meet record. The old record was 53 feet set in 1968 by Tennessee's George Jensen.

The shot put mark was only one of seven meet records broken in the competition.

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### Hockey

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Tuesday's Results  
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New York at Los Angeles  
Buffalo at Chicago  
Vancouver at California  
Philadelphia at St. Louis  
Pittsburgh at Minnesota

## Rick Barry Back, So Is Virginia

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Rick Barry came back—but so did Virginia.

Barry, the superforward traded by the Squires to New York before the start of the American Basketball Association season, returned to action Tuesday night for the first time since an injured right foot sidelined him Oct. 23.

He scored 15 points and added nine assists in 12 minutes—but it wasn't enough to keep his former teammates from overcoming a 10-point deficit and ripping the Nets 120-116.

In the only other ABA game Utah mauled Memphis, 125-106. In the National Basketball Association, New York pounded Portland 139-121, Boston bombed Buffalo 122-102, Chicago smacked San Francisco 99-87, Seattle flipped Philadelphia 107-104, Milwaukee mangled Atlanta 128-104 and Los Angeles beat Phoenix 121-112.

Virginia, led by Charlie Scott's 34-point performance, rallied after New York had taken a 64-54 second-period lead. The Squires went ahead to stay at 75-73, opened a 10-point bulge of their own and held off a late charge by the Nets, who were led by Bill Melchionni's 29 points.

Utah took advantage of an early cold spell by the Pros to build up a comfortable 53-39 halftime lead, then coasted home behind Zelmo Beaty's 23 points and 20 by George Stone. Jimmy Jones led Memphis with 21.

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## Lockhart Is Pro Player of the Week

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
NEW YORK (AP) — "I'm not worried about getting hurt," says 175-pound Spider Lockhart of the New York Giants. "I think positively. I never worry about anything bad."

And so Lockhart has nothing to worry about today—except something good.

For his exceptional ability at employing the safety blitz against Buffalo quarterback Dennis Shaw that was in large measure responsible for the Giants' 20-6 victory last Sunday made him this week's Associated Press selection as the National Football League's Defensive Player of the Week.

"That's beautiful," Lockhart said when he was told of the award, echoing the words that were said four different times Sunday by his teammates as the little safety barreled through the big bodies at the line to tackle Shaw.

When Lockhart tried the maneuver a fifth time, he was stopped by a Buffalo lineman. Lockhart couldn't help telling

him, "nice play."  
Puzzled just a bit, the frustrated blocker replied: "It's about time."

Lockhart, who feels positive thinking is the answer to any doubts he might have when he blitzes against linemen who outweigh him by at least 75 pounds, also says he has been able to avoid serious injury because of his speed and agility.

## Rangers Just Eyed Standing Too Much

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
New York's Rangers had their eyes on the standings—and wound up flat on their backs.

The Rangers, trailing Boston's idle first-place Bruins by a point in the National Hockey League's East Division, skated into Vancouver Tuesday night with visions of victory like their 4-1 triumph last Sunday over the Canucks.

But Mike Corrigan, Wayne Maki and Charlie Hodge had other ideas and, as a sellout crowd of 15,569 roared its approval, the Canucks evened things up by pounding New York 4-1.

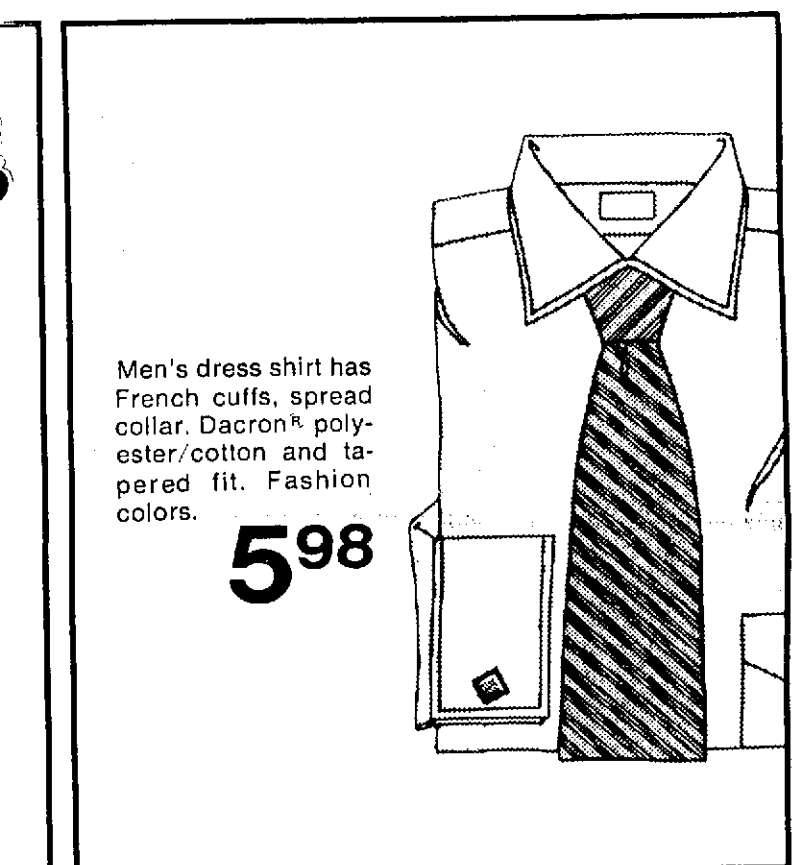
Rick Mobley was the leading scorer for A&M with 23.

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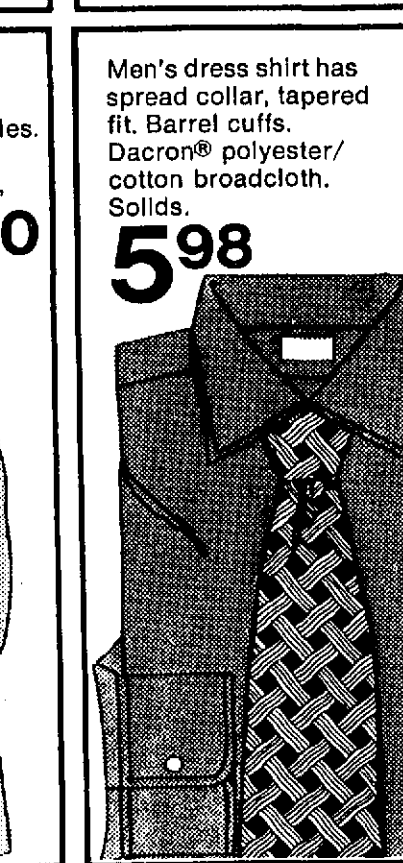
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## Realism Forced on Cambodian General Staff

By JOHN T. WHEELER  
Associated Press Writer  
PHNOM PENH, Cambodia (AP) — Recent sweeping Communist gains have forced a new mood of realism on the Cambodian General Staff. It has decided reluctantly that still more territory must be given up, at least temporarily, qualified diplomatic sources report.

Present hopes of preventing a Communist takeover are tied to establishing the Lon Nol Line, named after the Cambodian premier who is also the nation's senior general. That means abandoning plans to retake major sections of the nation's heartland. The hope is that the new plan will permit effective defense of the most vital parts of the country, the sources said. The Lon Nol Line would begin west of Battambang, in the northwest, pass south of the huge lake Tonle Sap, and then turn eastward through Kompong Cham, the present eastern anchor of the high command's shattered northern front.

Although diplomats now credit the high command with making a far more realistic evaluation of the threat to Gen. Nol's regime, some fear that even the modified heartland tactics may prove too much for the burgeoning but largely green Cambodian army.

Western experts now wonder whether the government will be able to put its northern front on Highway 7 back together without massive South Vietnamese intervention. There is some doubt whether long-term and massive South Vietnamese operations will be forthcoming.

Six months ago Lon Nol in effect decided to give up nearly half of Cambodia in hopes of

holding the area of the largest population and food production. Since then the Communists have taken all the heartland north of the Tonle Sap, east of Siem Reap and north of Kompong Cham. The new plan would mean abandoning government pledges to recapture this area and would be a major loss of face for the regime.

The government based a major propaganda campaign on its 20,000-man task force 50 miles north of Phnom Penh in the Taling Kauk area. But the task force has been stalled for nearly three months in its announced effort to drive to Kompong Thom, a provincial capital 80 miles north of Phnom Penh and the center of one vital chunk of territory. Kompong Thom remains in government hands but has been surrounded for nearly five months.

Qualified western experts say even with a lowering of sights, the high command will be lucky to hold its own, particularly in the area north of Phnom Penh.

Diplomats say another sign of realism in the general staff's thinking is the abandonment of hope that the government could quickly drive out the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong.

Western experts evaluating the Communists' first dry season offensive, which erupted Nov. 9, say they do not believe that they have yet pulled off anything decisive. But those whose countries are actively supporting Lon Nol's government say they are disappointed that the Cambodian response has been so slow.

As the dry season continues, the heaviest fighting yet in Cambodia is expected.

## Clemency for Walker Is Rejected

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller Tuesday rejected a request for clemency for James Dean Walker, 30, who is serving a life sentence for the 1962 slaying of a North Little Rock policeman.

Rockefeller told newsmen that he had once before turned down the request and "I will turn it down again."

Les Hollingsworth, Rockefeller's aide for prison affairs, said one member of the state Pardon and Parole Board voted Nov. 18 to parole Walker. He said three voted to deny a pardon and one voted to commute Walker's sentence to 50 years, making him eligible for parole after serving a third of the sentence.

Because of the one vote for the parole, Hollingsworth said he had planned to bring the matter before Rockefeller, but before he had a chance to talk with the governor, Rockefeller rejected the clemency request. Walker had been convicted for the shooting death of Jerrell Vaughn, a North Little Rock patrolman.

Walker's application for clemency had drawn opposition from members of the North Little Rock Police Department.

Rockefeller said the fact that Vaughn was a policeman had a bearing on his decision but that it was not an overriding factor.

Rockefeller said the crime with which Walker was charged "cannot be washed out by good

deeds at the moment."

Hollingsworth said that Rockefeller did not feel Walker had served enough time. Hollingsworth said the governor thought future years could better determine whether Walker had been rehabilitated.

## Wholesale Index Price Drops Some

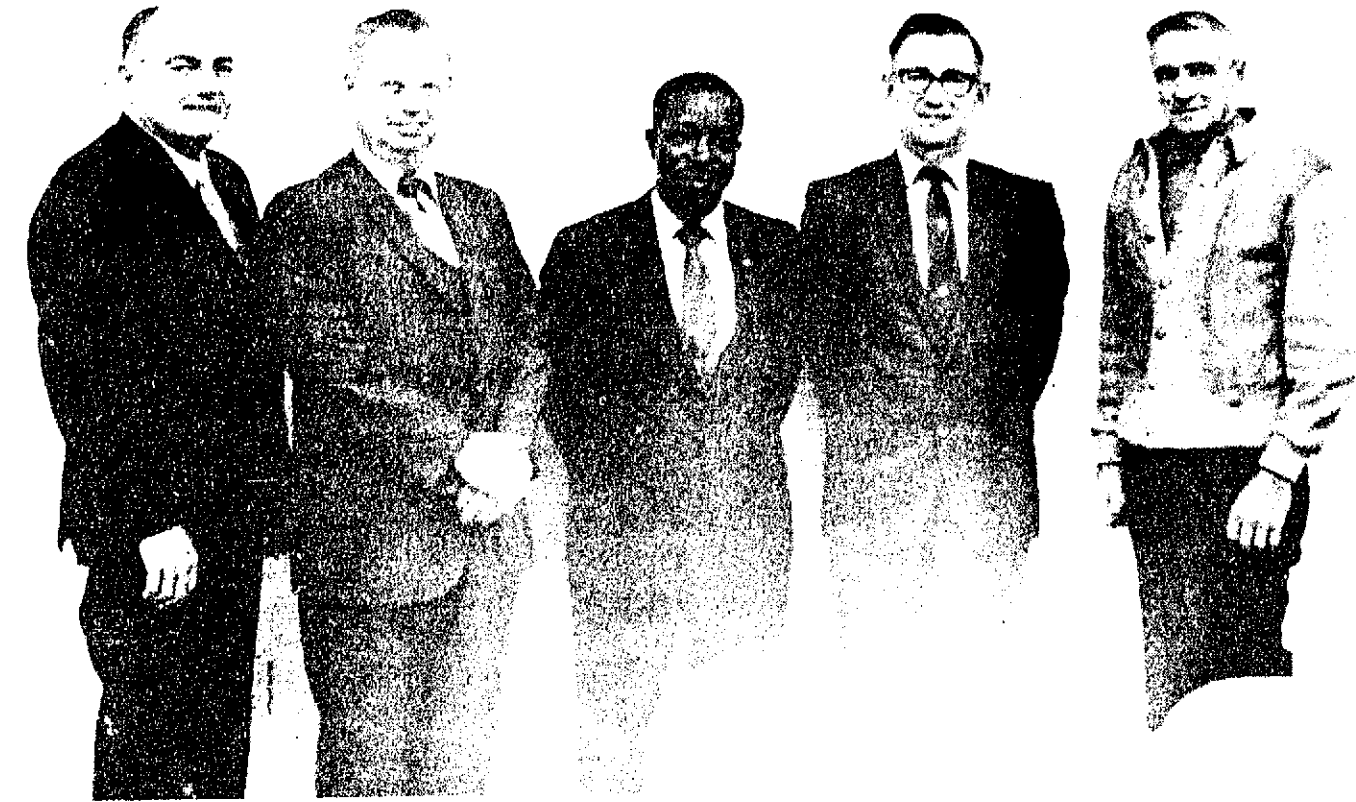
WASHINGTON (AP) — The wholesale price index for November fell one-tenth of 1 per cent, a bit less than earlier predicted, but still an encouraging note against the slow national economy.

The Wholesale Price Index was 177.7 for the month with the one-tenth loss, which was only the second drop in two years. For every \$100 worth of food, materials and services in the 1957-59 base period, it now costs \$117.70.

The index was 2.6 per cent above the November 1969 level, the smallest annual increase in 27 months. Average industrial prices did not go up for the first time in 17 months.

Despite the wholesale cost decrease, living costs in October were 6 per cent above the 1969 figure. The cost of living indicator was at 137.4, meaning it cost the average family \$13.74 for every \$10 worth of goods and services they bought in 1957-59.

Tuesday's November wholesale price list showed farm prices down seven-tenths of 1 per cent, against the earlier estimate of nine-tenths.



—Photos by Robert Vandivere with Star camera

Top photo: The Area Income Tax School sponsored by the Agricultural Extension Service in cooperation with the Internal Revenue Service was attended by ninety-nine people. This was one of nine such schools held throughout Arkansas. The two day tax school was held at the Red River Vocational Technical School.

Bottom photo: Instructors for the two day Income Tax School held December 1-2, are from left to right: Max Murphy, Internal Revenue Service, Jonesboro; J.O. Kumpke, Extension Farm Management Specialist; George Smith, IRS, Texarkana; Ruben Whitley, IRS, Jonesboro, and Calvin Caldwell, County Extension Agent. Kenneth Hargis, not shown, represented the Social Security Division and explained changes and benefits in the Social Security law.

## Sentiment Against Any Concessions

By SERGIO LEITAO  
Associated Press Writer  
RIO DE JANEIRO (AP) — Sentiment is increasing in Brazil's military government against making concessions to the kidnapers of Swiss Ambassador Giovanni Bucher.

Authoritative sources say a growing hard-line faction feels that if the government gives in every time there is a political kidnapping, there will be a spiral of abductions.

Another faction, made up mostly of ex-army officers, is said to feel that if the government does not do its best to get Bucher released, it will be "setting a bad example and will forcibly lower its moral standing among other nations."

Brazil has gained the release of three kidnapped diplomats in the past two years by bowing to terrorist demands for the freeing of political prisoners.

In Bern, Swiss government sources said they expect the Brazilian government to meet promptly whatever terms the kidnapers might be demanding for Bucher's release.

Officials said they had no confirmation yet of what the demands were, but that Switzerland will insist that any terms including the release of political prisoners be met.

Police and officials were studying two documents they said were the first word from the terrorists who kidnaped the ambassador.

One of the documents was said to be a manifesto from the kidnapers, and the other reportedly was a letter written by Bucher. Both were said to be hand-written in French.

Someone called the Swiss Embassy Tuesday afternoon and said an envelope containing the documents had been left at a Roman Catholic church in suburban Tijuca. Police picked up the envelope and began checking the authenticity of the documents.

Police had received several previous notes purportedly from the kidnapers but had ruled them "unauthentic" because they contained nothing from Bucher to prove that he was being held by the senders.

Bucher was snatched from his limousine at gunpoint while on his way to the Swiss Embassy. A Brazilian federal police agent riding with him as a bodyguard was wounded and was in critical condition in a hospital.

A terrorist group called the Popular Revolutionary Vanguard, or VPR, has claimed responsibility for the kidnapping.

## Appreciation Plaque for Rockefeller

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller Tuesday night was presented with an "appreciation" plaque by the Democrats for Rockefeller campaign organization.

The plaque bore the inscription, "No man living or dead has done so much for Arkansas." The words were taken from a speech by Lt. Gov. Maurice Britt.

As Rockefeller received the plaque in the governor's conference room at the state Capitol, he said, "This I will treasure with more emotion than many, many others."

Making the presentation were Elizabeth Watts, a student at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, and the co-chairman of Democrats for Rockefeller, Mrs. W. Payton Kolb and Dr. Joe Norton, both of Little Rock.

Rockefeller arrived 3½ hours late for the presentation. He said he was busy on other matters at his Petit Jean Mountain home.

In receiving the plaque, the governor repeated his offer to help Gov.-elect Dale Bumpers in the transition of administrations, if Bumpers asked for it, but he said he would not try to give "free advice."

He said his offer of help was in contrast to the attitude taken by his predecessor, Gov. Orval E. Faubus. Rockefeller said Faubus took 18 file cabinets with him when he left office, leaving the governor's office with no records.

trollers at Fremont learned how to operate the new system in eight hours.

## New System of Control in Aviation

FREMONT, Calif. (AP) — In brilliant green letters, "conflict, conflict, conflict," flashes persistently on the big screen.

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The air traffic controller starts pressing buttons and in a few seconds the lines vanish and the word "clear," replaced "conflict."

Thus what could have been a collision between airliners is averted nearly an hour before it might have occurred.

This is being done by a new system of control being tested at the Federal Aviation Administration's Air Route Traffic Control Center in Fremont, across the bay from San Francisco International Airport.

The program, which started a week ago, is a cooperative effort among the FAA, Aeronautical Radio, Inc., which serves as

relay center for airliners flying the Pacific and the Fremont center, and a number of electronic and communications firms.

The new system depends on a "data link," a miniature computer aboard the aircraft.

Every 32 seconds in a split-second burst of computer language, the plane's number, flight plan, position, altitude, speed and weather conditions are flashed to the control center's screen.

By supplanting the present direct voice communication method, the data link system provides startling speed and a tremendous reduction in the burden on air traffic controllers and pilots.

While pilots now have to keep trying to reach the control center on crowded radio frequencies, 100 planes can send their fraction-of-a-second information under the new system without delay and receive almost instantaneous response from the ground.

Under the present system, the air controller keeps track of each plane in his sector through its voice broadcasts and stores flight information on paper slips.

If two planes appear headed on converging courses, the controller has to sift through the slips, compare them to find the course conflict, make a mental image of his sector, then check to find alternate safe altitudes and courses.

The new system puts the same information on a screen.

FAA regulations say planes 20 minutes apart are in conflict, the new system gives a 50-minute warning.

After the tests and evaluations are completed next year, the FAA plans to establish a network of at least five data link centers across the country.

According to officials, it now takes at least a year to train a traffic controller, but the 16 con-

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—J. W. Rowe photo with Star camera

## Vietnamese Statements for Defense

By HARRY F. ROSENTHAL  
associated Press Writer  
FT. BENNING, Ga. (AP) — From sworn statements of Vietnamese people will come the first defense for Lt. William L. Calley, the 5-foot-3 platoon leader who has been portrayed at a court-martial as decreeing and dealing death to masses of their countrymen at My Lai.

After its 35th witness testified Tuesday, the prosecution conditionally rested its case, reserving the right to reopen it if two missing witnesses can be found.

Planning to call its first witness Thursday morning, the defense today was to present to Judge Reid W. Kennedy an undisclosed number of the statements taken by Calley and two attorneys in Vietnam just before the trial started.

No Vietnamese will come to this infantry post to testify about what happened in the village near the South China Sea on March 16, 1968.

The six-officer jury, trying Calley on charges of murdering 102 Vietnamese, was given today off. Administrative business and routine motions were to be taken care of at an afternoon session.

George Latimer, Calley's chief civilian lawyer, said the

free day was needed to check the status of witnesses being summoned at a peak travel time.

The prosecution—responsible for arranging for all witnesses has said the defense has requested the appearance of 57.

Judge Kennedy, a colonel, indicated that unless the trial appears near completion, he will recess for Christmas and New Years holidays after Dec. 18. The jurors return to their homes each night.

In testimony spanning more than three weeks, the jurors—two captains, three majors and a colonel—heard witnesses relate that Calley ordered and participated in the execution of My Lai villagers at two main sites, one a trail intersection in the village, and the other a ditch just outside.

Four GI's testified they saw Calley shooting people at the ditch and one said he saw killing by the lieutenant at the trail intersection.

James Joseph Dursi, a Western Electric employee from Brooklyn, N.Y., said Tuesday he and Pfc. Paul Meadlo were told by Calley "to start moving them into the ditch."

"Some of them started crying or yelling," said Dursi, the last prosecution witness. "I was ordered to shoot."

"By whom?"

"By Lt. Calley."

Dursi continued, "Then Lt. Calley and Meadlo started fir-

## Cases Filed in Chancery Court

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James William Avers, Jr. Malvern to Miss Paula Jean Burnett, Hope, Ark.  
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Donald Buffington, Patmos to Miss Deborah Schroeder, Patmos, Ark.  
J. C. Dooley, Hope to Miss Margorie West, Hope, Ark.  
Larry F. Jackson, Bradley to Miss Elizabeth Green, McNab, Ark.  
Olin Lee Harn III, Houston to Miss Eva Katherine Thrash, Hope, Ark.  
W.G. Toland, Stamps to Miss Linda Carol Cox, Lewisville, Ark.  
Harold Lloyd, Hope to Annie Catherine Ross, Hope, Ark.  
J.J. Hinklin, Houston to Mrs. Carolyn Rae Park, Houston, Texas

## Auburn QB Honored by Conference

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Auburn quarterback Pat Sullivan has been picked by the Southeastern Conference's 10 head coaches as the SEC Player of the Year.

The coaches' selection was announced today in The Nashville Banner's yearly poll.

## Bounty of Beetles

Beetles form the largest major group in the animal kingdom. At least 250,000 kind are known to man and this constitutes more than a quarter of all kinds of animals.

ing. Meadlo turned to me shortly after the shooting began and said 'Shoot, who don't you fire? I just said, 'I can't, I won't' and looked down at the ground."

Dursi said he had helped Calley and Meadlo shove people into the ditch.

When he didn't join in the firing, Dursi said, "Calley came to me and told me to get across the ditch before I got sick." Later, he testified that Calley's tone was sympathetic.

The Red River Vocational Technical School has completed a contract with Texarkana Manpower, Inc., on training twenty people in the Food Service field. The course was held at the Sunset School in Texarkana, and students were referred by Texarkana Manpower, Inc.

The course began September 9 and completed November 25. Pictured are students who were present for closing remarks by J. W. Rowe, Director of Red River Vocational Technical School. Front Row (L to R) Jennie Boone, Asst. Instructor, Lottie V. Kidd, Flossie M. Faulks, Verna G. Stewart, Sara L. Jones, Henrietta P. Arnold, Virdene Burton, Glorine E. Kelly, Leola M. Nelson, and Bertha M. Johnson. Back Row (L to R) Sylvia McCormack, Instructor, Bettie J. Shields, Betty R. Rigby, Barbara J. Harper, Wilma B. Chatman, Tommie L. Jackson and Lee D. Hill.

J. D. Ryther, Vocational Director for the Texarkana School System was supervisor on the project.

## Army Debates Dropping a Division

By FRED S. HOFFMAN  
AP Military Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Administration officials are nearing a decision on whether to cut another division from the Army next year with some indications pointing toward allowing the service to keep its current number.

A cut would drop the number of Army divisions to 12 and two-thirds, the lowest figure in 20 years, but sources in the Pentagon indicated there might be no such reduction if the service can economize elsewhere.

The division question, along with many other issues, is for resolution as Defense Department and Budget Bureau officials work out final details of money requests President Nixon will send to Congress, probably next month.

The Army already is due to drop to 13 and two-thirds divisions before next July 1—six fewer than its Vietnam war peak and two and two-thirds fewer than in the period before the Vietnam buildup began.

The Army, like the other armed services, is caught between pressures generated by rising costs and demands for a cutback in defense spending as the Vietnam war winds down.

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Crisis plans call for a quick buildup in Europe from the present four and one-third Army divisions there to a total of eight.

Army authorities feel they now have Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird on their side, but it is understood, tough-minded officials at the Budget Bureau remain to be convinced.

There is some feeling President Nixon's recent public commitment to maintain U.S. forces

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NBC White Paper	6
Hawaii Five-O	11-12
10:00 News, Weather, Sports	3-4-6-7-11-12
10:30 Johnny Carson	4-6
Dick Cavett	7
Movie	11
"An Alligator Named Daisy"	
Darrell Royal	12
10:35 Movie	3
"The Proud Ones"	
11:00 Merv Griffin	12

## Thursday

Morning	
6:20 Sunrise Semester	12
6:30 Texarkana College	6
Sunrise Semester	11
6:40 Morning Devotional	6
6:45 RFD	4
R.F.D. "G"	6
6:50 Your Pastor	12
6:55 Morning Devotional	3-4
7:00 Colorful World	3
Today	4-6
Bozo's Big Top	7
CBS News	11-12
7:20 Arkansas A.M.	11
7:30 Bozo And His Friends	3
8:00 Zane Grey	7
Captain Kangaroo	11-12
8:15 Movie	3
"Artists And Models"	
8:30 This Morning	7
9:00 Romper Room	4
Dinah Shore	6
Movie—	
To Be Announced	7
Lucille Ball	11-12
9:30 Concentration	4-6
Hillbillies	11-12
9:50 Fashions In Sewing	3
10:00 Film	3
Sale Of The Century	4-6
Family Affair	11-12
10:30 That Girl	3
Hollywood Squares	4-6
That Girl	7
Love Of Life	11-12
11:00 Bewitched	3-7
Jeopardy	4-6
Where The Heart Is	11-12
11:25 CBS News	11-12
11:30 News, Weather	3
Who, What Or Where	4-6
World Apart	7
Search For Tomorrow	11-12
11:55 NBC News	4-6

## Afternoon

12:00 All My Children	3
Little Rock Today	4
News	6-12
Honeymooners	7
Eye On Arkansas	11
12:30 Let's Make A Deal	3-7
Words And Music	6
As The World Turns	11-12
12:50 Lucille Rivers	4
1:00 Newlywed Game	3-7
Days Of Our Lives	4-6
Love Is A Many-Splendored Thing	11-12
1:30 Dating Game	3-7
Doctors	4-6
Guiding Light	11-12
2:00 General Hospital	3-7
Another World-Bay City	4-6
Secret Storm	11-12
2:30 One Life To Live	3-7
Bright Promise	4-6
Edge Of Night	11-12
3:00 Dark Shadows	3-7
Mike Douglas	4
Another World-Somerset	11-12
Gomer Pyle, USMC	11-12
3:30 Kaleidoscope	2
Movie	3
"The Spoilers"	

in Europe at their present level through the 1972 fiscal year may trip the balance in favor of retaining total division strength at 13 and two-thirds.

Some Pentagon sources indicated Laird and Deputy Secretary of Defense David Packard are inclined to allow the Army to keep the division in question, but that they expect the Army to find the estimated \$500 million elsewhere in its budget—no easy job in view of pressing requirements for weapons modernization.

Defense Department experts have been trying to get the Army to think in terms of other than division forces in allocating resources to meet possible emergencies.

Night		Spee" Movie	
6:00 Americans From Africa	2	"Chuka"	12
Truth Or Consequences	3	8:30 Odd Couple	3-7
News	4-6-7-11-12	Nancy	4-6
6:30 Arkansas Game And Fish	2	9:00 Matters Of State	2
Matt Lincoln	3-7	Immortal	3-7
Flip Wilson	4-6	Dean Martin	4-6
Family Affair	11-12	10:00 News, Weather	3-4-6-7-11-12
7:00 Folk Guitar	2	10:30 Johnny Carson	4-6
Jim Nabors	11-12	Dick Cavett	7
7:30 Julia Child	2	Arkansas Sportsman	11
Bewitched	3-7	Merv Griffin	12
Ironsides	4-6	10:35 Ark-La-Tex Sportsman	3
8:00 Southern Perspective	2	10:45 Movie	3
Barefoot In The Park	3-7	"All My Sons"	11
Movie	11	11:00 Movie	11
"Pursuit Of The Graf		"Beasts Of Marseilles"	
		12:30 Dick Cavett	3

# pre-Christmas SALE

Starts Thursday

We have many styles of Ladies and Girls Shoes You Do Not expect to see until January Sales. We can't list them all but below are a few gigantic bargains at . . .

1/2

Price

Plenty of Sizes, Colors and Styles!!

Ladies' Hose

2 Pair 1<sup>00</sup>

One Group Ladies' Dress Shoes

Save 2<sup>50</sup> Save \$11.50 \$11.50

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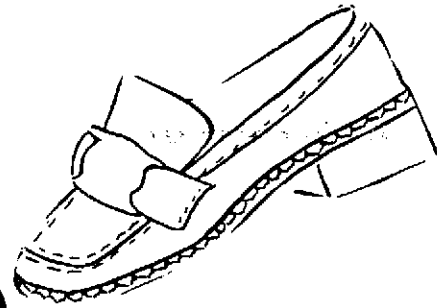
One Group Sizes 4 1/2 to 10 B to AA Reg. \$8 Value

Now Only 3<sup>90</sup>

One Group Sizes 4 1/2 to 10 B to AA Reg. \$11

6<sup>90</sup>

Save One Half



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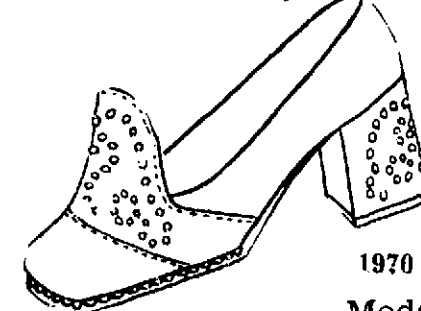
Values to \$20 \$8<sup>90</sup>

One Group of Flats

Girls and Women 3 Colors To 11.99 Value

97¢

One Big Group



To \$19.99 Values

\$10<sup>90</sup>

Ladies Red Ball Nylon Tennis

Reg. 6.99 3 Colors

\$4

3 Days Only

Little Girls' Play Loafers

Regular \$4.99 Value

97¢

Regular \$7.99 Value

\$4<sup>90</sup>

Sizes 12 1/2 to 4.

Block Heels

For Teens or Women

1/2 Price

To \$14.99 Values

\$7<sup>50</sup>

NO EXCHANGES OR REFUNDS

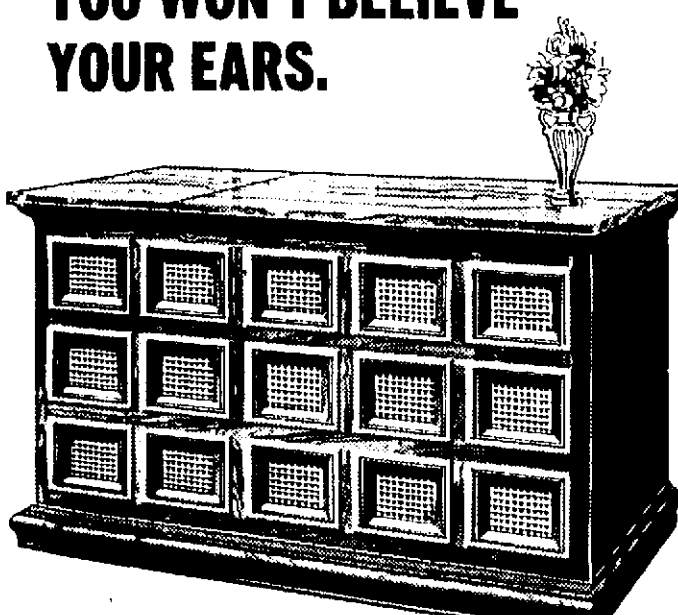
# Overturf's

Hope's Family Shoe Store

214 S. Main St.

Hope, Ark.

ONCE YOU HEAR THE PRICE ON THIS TELEDYNE PACKARD BELL STEREO YOU WON'T BELIEVE YOUR EARS.



RPC 234MO Capri RPC 234ED Seville

Here's a stereo console that will sound good to you even before you turn it on. That's because the price is only \$329.95. Even if it were fifty dollars more it would still be a good price.

You see it has 60 watts peak music power. It has a solid-state AM/FM stereo tuner and amplifier, a 4-speed automatic Garrard turntable, two 9" x 6" woofers, and four 3 1/2" tweeters. It even has external speaker terminals.

You also get to add an external 8-track stereo tape cartridge player or cassette player/recorder if you want.

This stereo comes in your choice of two woods, light Mediterranean Oak or the darker Espania® Granada Oak.

But whichever wood cabinet you like, you'll love the sound that comes out of it. Especially when you hear it only costs \$329.95.

TELEDYNE PACKARD BELL

## LEHMANS HOME CENTER

Third & Walnut

Hope, Ark.



# Cash in those unused items for Christmas dollars. 777-3431

All Want Ads are payable in advance but ad will be accepted over the telephone and accommodation accounts allowed with the understanding the account is payable when statement is rendered.

Number One Four Six One of words Day Days Days Mo. Up to 15 1.20 2.60 3.20 9.25 16 to 20 1.40 3.05 3.80 10.90 21 to 25 1.60 3.50 4.30 12.40 26 to 30 1.80 3.95 4.80 13.90 31 to 35 2.00 4.40 5.30 15.40 36 to 40 2.20 4.85 5.80 16.90 41 to 45 2.40 5.30 6.30 18.40 46 to 50 2.60 5.75 6.80 19.90

Initials of one or more letters, group of figures, as house or telephone numbers count as one word.

**CLASSIFIED DISPLAY**  
1 Time—\$1.35 per inch per day  
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**STANDING CARD ADS**  
\$20.00 per inch per month

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All daily classified advertising copy will be accepted until 4 p.m. for publication on the following day, with exception of Saturday's paper, which must be in by noon Friday.

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The Hope Star will not be responsible for errors in Want Ads unless errors are called to our attention after FIRST insertion of ad and then ONLY the One incorrect insertion.

## Miscellaneous

### 3. Lost

BLACK, MULEY headed cow, partly white stomach. Missing several weeks. Reward. Johnnie Green, call 777-4545. 12-9-4tp

### 4. Notice

WHY BUY DRIED out Christmas Trees, poor colored or artificial trees, when you can get fresh home grown Scotch Pine and Arizona Cypress trees at competitive prices? Opening December 3.... Wright's Greenhouses. Sales yard downtown at Walnut and Third, (Highway 67 E.) Open until 8 p.m. daily. 12-1-1mc

HOME CURED MEAT- Sugar cured and hickory smoked. Hams \$1.20 per pound, bacon 90c pound. Shipped anywhere in U.S.A. Russell's Curb Market, 902 West Third, 777-9933. 12-2-1mc

RUMMAGE SALE daily, 9 to 4; Saturday 9 to 12, 308 East Fourth Street, Texarkana, Ark. Salvation Army. 12-8-6tc

REMEMBER OUR AUCTION, Friday night, December 11, at 7 p.m. It will be the last one this year as the 4th Friday is Christmas. We will have some new glass that will make excellent Christmas gifts. House of Bottles, Washington, Ark. 12-9-1tc

CAN WRITE all forms of Hospital Insurance, Issued by Providential Insurance Co. Call Cecil Weaver at 777-3143. 12-9-4tc

## Employment

### 8. Male or Female

CLERICAL AT HOME. Send stamped envelope to Don, 2238 Powell Avenue, Bronx, New York 10462. 12-8-4tp

HELP WANTED. 4 a.m. to 9 a.m. Apply in person at Do-Nut Chef, after 5 p.m. 12-8-4tc

### 9. Salesmen

TEXAS REFINERY CORP. offers opportunity for high income PLUS regular cash and vacation bonuses, abundant fringe benefits to mature men in Hope area. Regardless of experience, air mail D. A. Byers, Vice President, Texas Refinery Corp, Box 711, Fort Worth, Texas 76101. 12-7-4tp

## Wanted

### 13. Miscellaneous

BUY-RANCH and Timberland, city residence property; see or call Buck Williams, 777-5084 or 777-2888. 11-5-4f

HIGHEST PRICES Paid for Pecans. Pat Rateliff, 110 South Walnut. Phone 777-5284. 11-10-1mc

WANTED TO BUY- Pecans, Black Walnuts, Peanuts, and Hickory Nuts. Russell's Curb Market, 777-9933. 11-17-1mc

## Articles For Rent Or Lease

FOR LEASE AT HILLCREST AND IMPERIAL—1 and 2 bedroom apartments. Central air conditioning. Utilities paid. Some furnished, \$100 up 777-3363, or 777-6731. Also, full equipped EFFICIENCY apartments available by the week. 11-2-4f

FURNISHED APARTMENTS. Adults only. No drinking. 300 Edgewood. 12-1-4f

FURNISHED APARTMENT, three rooms, bath, air conditioning, heating. Carport, and washer & dryer connections. Jesse Sinclair, 777-4208. 12-9-4tc

THREE ROOM Furnished apartment. Call 777-5521, Cliff Stewart. 12-9-4tc

FURNISHED APARTMENT- all modern. Adults only. \$60 month. No pets. Call 777-5195. 12-9-4f

### 21. Houses-unfurnished

TWO BEDROOM Unfurnished home on Park Drive. Phone A. D. Middlebrooks at 777-3467. 12-8-4f

### 24. Mobile Homes

SELL-RENT-LEASE. One bedroom mobile home and lot. Air conditioned, furnished. Move in now. Contact Harry Phillips. 12-9-3tc

### 27. Ambulance Service

24-HOUR AMBULANCE SERVICE. Call 777-3334, Hempstead County Ambulance Service, Inc. Air conditioned, oxygen equipped, two way radio. Certified courteous attendants. 11-7-4f

## Services Offered

### 38. Instruction

CLASSES BEGINNING Now-In oils, pastels, and children's art. Adults and beginners. Day and night classes. 777-2574, Mrs. Karen Morris. 12-8-6tp

### 4. Notice

Bicycles & Mini Bikes  
**10% off** On All Bikes  
Thursday-Friday & Saturday  
**Safe-Lock-& Key**  
214 S. Walnut 777-3719  
12-8-4tc

### 4. Notice

We invite you to come and see our Christmas arrangements, now on display. Come by early to make your selections and also to pick up a beautiful F.T.D. Floral Calendar...  
**Spates Florist**  
777-2426  
12-2-12tc

## 39. Job Printing

QUALITY COMMERCIAL Printing - Letterpress or Offset. ETTER PRINTING CO. 983-2634, Washington, Arkansas. 11-26-4f

PIONEER PRINTERS, Village Shopping Center. Printing, office supplies, office furniture, 3M Photo copiers and supplies. 777-6747. 11-9-4f

## 40. Meat Processing

RALPH MONTGOMERY Custom Slaughter, and meat processing. Phone 777-3808 or 777-6088. 11-1-4f

## 41. Miscellaneous

ROWE'S LEATHER.. Hand made saddles, saddle repair, chaps, bridles, blankets, spurs, belts, billfolds, holsters. 777-4666. 11-17-4f

## 47. Rug Cleaning

CARPET AND BRAIDED rugs cleaned. For free estimation Phone: 777-4670 or see Curtis Yates. 11-20-4f

CARPET COLORS looking dim? Bring 'em back—give 'em vim! Use Blue Lustre! Rent electric shampooer \$1. Hope Furniture Co. 12-8-6tc

CARPETS AND Life too can be beautiful if you use Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Home Furniture Co. 12-5-6tc

## 52. Watch Repair

FINEST WATCH & Jewelry repair. All work guaranteed. Party napkins for all occasions, personalized, printed. Stewart's Jewelry Store, 208 South Main. 11-6-4f

## 79. Homes

### CHOICE LOCATION

23 Acres close in. Two bedroom home, good well, natural gas, practically new barn, with electricity. Pond, excellent fence. Beautiful Building sites!! This property is East of Town...in exactly the right spot!!!  
See us at Once!  
**Greening Ellis Co.**  
Insurance—Loans—Real Estate  
209 S. Main 777-4661  
12-8-4tc

## 4. Notice

**PRE-CHRISTMAS REVIVAL**  
**FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
322 NORTH MAIN  
EVANGELIST, CHARLES L. OGDON  
7 P.M. - EXCEPT SATURDAY  
-THE PUBLIC IS INVITED-  
12-9-4f

## 4. Notice

**WANTED**  
Someone To Take Over Payments  
On Repossessed Merchandise

1—Westinghouse Console Stereo \$10.00 mo.  
1—16 pound Washer \$12.00 mo.  
1—Portable Record Player \$5.00 mo.  
1—Pair Matching Washer & Dryer \$12.50 mo.  
1—Black & White Portable T.V. \$10.00 mo.

**BARGAINS BARGAINS BARGAINS**  
**GOOD YEAR**  
SERVICE STORE  
W. Third & Pine 777-5777  
12-9-2tc

## \* For The Home \*

55.A Appliance Repair  
CALL LARRY REDLICH for all your appliance repair, including: air conditioning, refrigeration and heating, 777-5764. 11-20-4f

## 59. Miscellaneous

SINGER SEWING Machine Service, also repair any make or model. Free estimates. Fabric Center, 777-5313. 11-19-4f

SINGER SEWING MACHINES. Don't be misled! For the only authorized Singer Sewing Machine Sales & Service in the Hope area. Repossessed Zig Zag, \$5 per month. In town on Tuesdays, and Thursdays. Call McLain Cleaners, 777-6333. 11-9-4f

HOME REPAIRS, roofing, paneling, painting, general repairs. Call 777-4016 after 4 in the evenings. 12-9-1mc

## 60. Painting Services

PAINTING AND PAPER hanging by the hour or contract. Free estimation. Clifton Whitten, phone 777-6494. 11-17-4f

SPRAY PAINTING- contracted or hourly rates. Urethane foam applied, roofing, vaults, insulation. Also Artic Coat paint for sale- wholesale only. P.O. Box 447 Blevins, Ark. 501-874-3711 or 501-874-3601. 11-24-1mp

## 62. Piano Tuning

EXPERT PIANO TUNING and repair. Call 777-5457 for more information. 11-19-4f

## 63. Plumbing Services

PONDER PLUMBING Company. Contractor, repair, heating, Sewer, etc. Day or night 777-5528 or 887-6878. 11-6-4f

## 79. Homes

### 5 Acres On 67 East

Just listed a beautiful five acre wooded tract two miles east of Hope on U.S. Highway No 67. Ideal for a country home. Priced to sell for \$2,750.00.

### Wanted!

50 to 200 acre tract on paved road near Hope or Prescott. We have a buyer for this land.

**Foster Realty Co., Inc.**  
512 East Third  
Phone 777-4691  
12-8-4tc

## 67. Antiques

UNIQUE, QUALITY GIFTS for Christmas, all-occasions. Reasonable prices. ADDRESS ACRES ANTIQUES, Spring Hill Road. 11-18-1mc

WE HAVE A Large selection of new glass items, as well as old, for your Christmas Giving. HOUSE OF BOTTLES, Washington, Ark. 12-4-18tc

## Articles For Sale

### 71. Cars or Trucks

WANTED—Late model used cars and pickup trucks. Hope Volkswagen, Inc. See James Gaines or J.B. Ingram, Jr. Phone 777-8726 or 777-5100. 11-25-4f

WANTED—USED CARS and trucks. Cash paid. Harry Phillips Used Cars, 1010 West Third, 777-2522. 11-1-4f

FOR SALE: 1965 FORD- ten-passenger Station Wagon, fully equipped. Price \$500. Telephone 777-3345. 12-4-6tc

1967 FORD GALAXIE 500, four-door sedan, V8, automatic transmission, power steering, air conditioning. Extra clean. Call 777-2452. 12-9-6tc

## 74. Furniture

WAKLER'S NEW & USED furniture, 777-6233, 213 S. Main. Give highest prices for your furniture. Will sell-trade-or buy. 11-7-4f

LUCK'S USED FURNITURE CO. See me before buying or selling H.E. Luck, 904 North Hazel, 777-4381. 11-7-4f

## 78. Miscellaneous

FIREWOOD, Bruner-Ivory Handle Company. For more information call 777-2304. 11-6-1mc

BICYCLE & MINI BIKE Sales and Service. All new Vista Bike's. Fine quality, guaranteed. Wide selection of models and sizes to choose from. Safe Lock & Key, 214 South Walnut, 777-3718. 12-1-1mc

ROSE BUSHES, Azaleas, Camellias, fruit trees, shrubs, bedding plants and pottery. E. H. Byers Nursery, Highway 29 South, call 777-3543. 12-9-1mc

## 79. Homes

SIX ROOM HOUSE with one acre land on East Sixth. All home owner neighborhood. Also upright piano. Shown by appointment only. Will handle paper. Call Clifford Franks, 777-2210. 11-11-1mc

TWO BEDROOM, located on North Mockingbird in Hope. 1-3 Bedroom located just out of Hope. Financing available on both. For complete information call Johnny Jones 318-746-1987 or write P.O. Box 5575 Bossier City, Louisiana. 12-8-4tp

## 79. B. Real Estate

FORTY ACRES in Nevada County Southwest of Northeast, Township 27, Range 14, West 23, on Highway 355 Southeast of Patmos. Write R. L. Walden, Route 1, Box 30, Foreman, Arkansas, or call 542-6865. 12-8-6tc

## 83. Pets & Supplies

MINIATURE Chihuahuas and Toy Poodles, all colors. Will hold til Christmas. Call 887-2381, Prescott. 12-9-4tp

## \* Farm Products \*

## 88. Livestock

REGISTERED ANGUS Bulls Yearlings to two year olds. Circle E.S. Ranches, Inc. Ozark, Arkansas. 983-2698 or 983-2317. 11-17-4f

NINE-TO-TWELVE Week old pigs for sale. For more information call 777-6767. 12-4-6tc

## 91. Produce

FOR THE Holidays ahead...one half bushel apples, \$1.95; 20 lb. bag Texas Oranges, \$1.50; 20 lbs. Navel oranges, \$2.00; 20 lbs. Grapefruit, \$1.50; 100 lbs. potatoes, \$4.50; Spanish Peanuts, 3 lbs. \$1.00; Roasted Peanuts, 2 lbs. 97c; Pecans, English Walnuts, Brazil nuts, mixed nuts, new Sorghum, Holiday candy and fireworks. Russell's Curb Market, 902 West Third. 12-9-14tc

## WIN AT BRIDGE

## Weak Two-bids Crowd Opponents

By Oswald & James Jacoby

NORTH			9
10 6 5			
K J			
K 8 4 2			
A 6 4 3			
WEST			
3 7 2			
A K 8 4 2			
A 9 6			
K 9			
EAST			
Q			
10 9 7 3			
J 10 3			
K J 8 7 5			
SOUTH (D)			
A K 8 4 3			
6 5			
Q 7 5			
10 2			
Both vulnerable			
South	West	North	East
2	A	Pass	Pass
Opening lead—A Q			

When you use two-clubs as your only forcing opening, you release the other suit two-bids for other purposes. Expert practice is to use them to show a good suit and a hand just below an opening one-bid in high-card strength. In other words, the sort of hand that you would pass if not using weak two-bids.

There is danger in passing a hand such as South held today. You are likely to be doubled if and when you back in. If you open with two spades, you aren't likely to get into trouble, provided your partner understands your bid.

In JACOBY MODERN, the weak two-bid shows 7-10 high-card points and a six-card suit headed by at least two of the four top honors. It also shows fairly balanced distribution, so that South has a classic two-spade opening.

West would like to act over that bid but can't afford to. Not that he can't make three hearts, but his partner will raise him to four. If he

Now available through this newspaper: "Win at Bridge with JACOBY MODERN" the new, illustrated, 128-page book by Oswald and James Jacoby. For your copy, send name, address, Zip code and \$1 to: "Win at Bridge," c/o (Name Newspaper), P.O. Box 489, Dept. (first three digits local Zip code), Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019.

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Against reasonable defense, South makes exactly two spades. He loses one trump, one heart, one club and two diamonds and winds up with a nice part score. If South passes his hand, West will open with one heart. The hand will probably wind up with East and West playing and making three hearts, or with South going set at three spades.

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## ♥ CARD Sense ♥

The bidding has been:

South	West	North	East
1	Pass	1	Pass
2 N.T.	Pass	3	Pass
3	Pass	3 N.T.	Pass

Yes, South, hold:

AK 6 ♥ A 9 7 ♦ K Q 4 ♠ A Q J 3 2

What do you do now?

A—Pass. Your partner has settled for three no-trump.

TODAY'S QUESTION

Instead of bidding three no-trump, your partner has bid three spades. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow



LAWRENCE E. LAMB, M.D.

## Ear Artery Malfunction Can Impair Your Balance

By LAWRENCE E. LAMB, M.D.

Dear Dr. Lamb—I've been told I have hardening of the arteries in the inner ear. Can you tell me what causes that? Will that affect the brain? When I walk I lose my balance.

Dear Reader—"Hardening of the arteries" is a term often used for arteriosclerosis. The process begins in men early in life and usually later in women. First, fat deposits build up in the wall of the arteries. As the fat deposits enlarge they obstruct the normal flow of blood. The damaged artery may become calcified.

Arteriosclerosis can literally happen to any artery in the body. When it obstructs circulation it causes the organ or part to lose its normal function. If it is an artery to the brain the result can be senility, a stroke or other signs of abnormal brain function. If the artery to the heart is sufficiently diseased, a heart attack or heart trouble may occur. Involvement of the arteries to the kidneys can cause kidney problems and even high blood pressure.

The arteries to the legs frequently are involved, limiting walking or other exercise. If severe obstruction to the circulation occurs, gangrene of the feet can result. Involvement of the arteries in the pelvis not only cause trouble with walking, but in men it can cause loss of sexual function or impotence.

Since any artery can be involved anywhere in the body, it is pure hogwash to think that even a perfect mechanical heart will solve the arteriosclerosis problem. A perfect mechanical heart in a body crippled by arteriosclerosis is not a magnificent achievement. What is needed is a way to prevent arteriosclerosis throughout the body, including the inner ear.

When the arteries to the ear are involved, the small semicircular canals that help to control the body's balance don't function properly. These little balance mechanisms normally send signals to the brain about your body position. Almost automatically the brain responds by adjusting muscles to maintain body balance. When the signal from the balance mechanism is lost

or impaired, a person is apt to stumble.

It is difficult or impossible to do much about this problem. Preventing arteriosclerosis is the best hope. Usually, one has to adjust his living habits to protect himself from falling. Devices to help with walking are sometimes advisable. The bathroom deserves extra attention to provide ways of using the hands and arms to maintain balance.

Special efforts should be made to eliminate the possibility of falling. Many older people do fall in the bathroom and too often the end result is broken, brittle bones and a trip to the hospital.

Dear Dr. Lamb—A broken hip one year ago, a pin in it. Can there be harm taking 100 sitting-up exercises in bed each morning? Always took plenty of exercise—80 years old.

Dear Reader—That's wonderful. I'm sure from your letter that you are apparently already doing the sit-ups. That means it must not be bothering your hip. Go ahead and do them—and congratulations!

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Please send your questions and comments to Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D., in care of this paper. While Dr. Lamb cannot answer individual letters, he will answer letters of general interest in future columns.



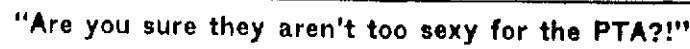
## Fair Warning

While a housewife was polishing her dining room table, the telephone rang in the kitchen. Although she was out of the room only a few minutes, her infant son managed to take a drink of the furniture polish. It was poisonous, and the child died.

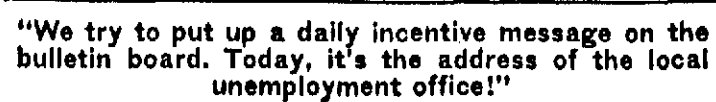
In due course, the victim's parents filed a damage suit against the manufacturer of the polish. They charged that the label failed to warn how dangerous the polish was.



**By GILL FOX**



By DICK TURNER



By DAN BARRY



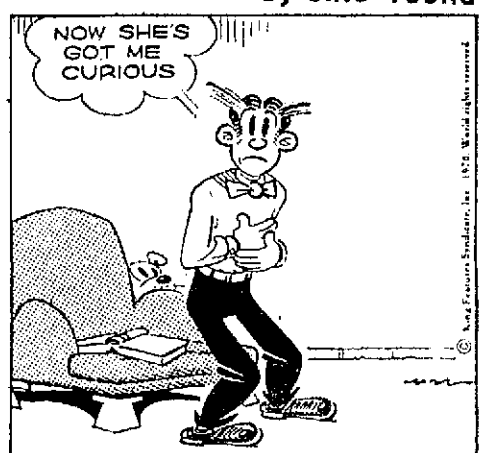
**By NEG COCKRAN**



**By MAJOR HOOPLE**



**BLONDIE**



## QUICK QUIZ

Q—Which is the smallest of the bears?  
A—The sun bear of south-eastern Asia. The peculiar name seems to have come from the yellow crescent on its breast—supposed to represent the rising sun.

Q—What is the only citizenship restriction placed on a naturalized citizen?  
A—He may not become president of the United States.

## Mother Goose

ACROSS

1 "— had a  
little lamb"  
Muffet  
9 Little —  
Blue  
12 Winklike  
structures  
13 Mine entrance  
14 Be indebted  
15 Prime donna  
16 — Island,  
California  
18 Japanese  
outcast (var.)  
19 Personal  
pronoun  
20 Fossium  
nitrate  
21 Mother —  
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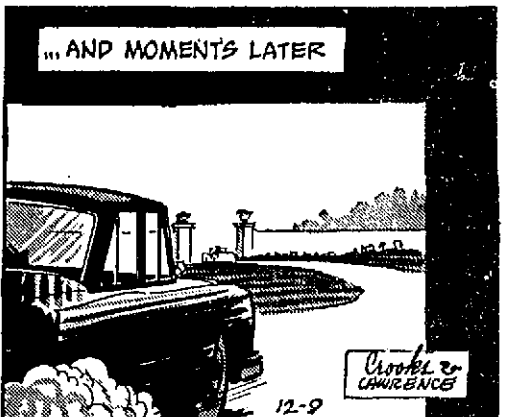
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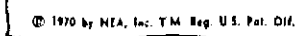
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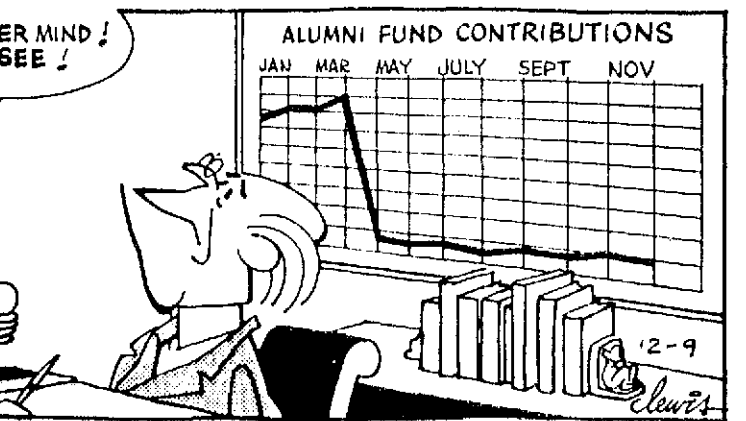
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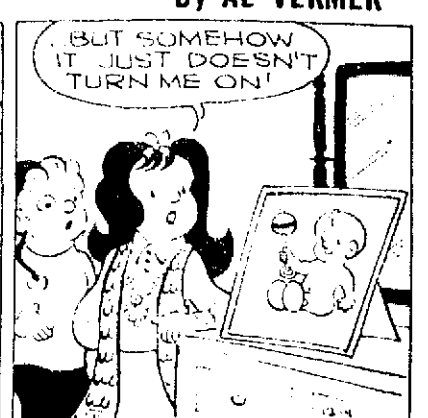


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**BUGS BUNNY**



### PRICILLA'S POP



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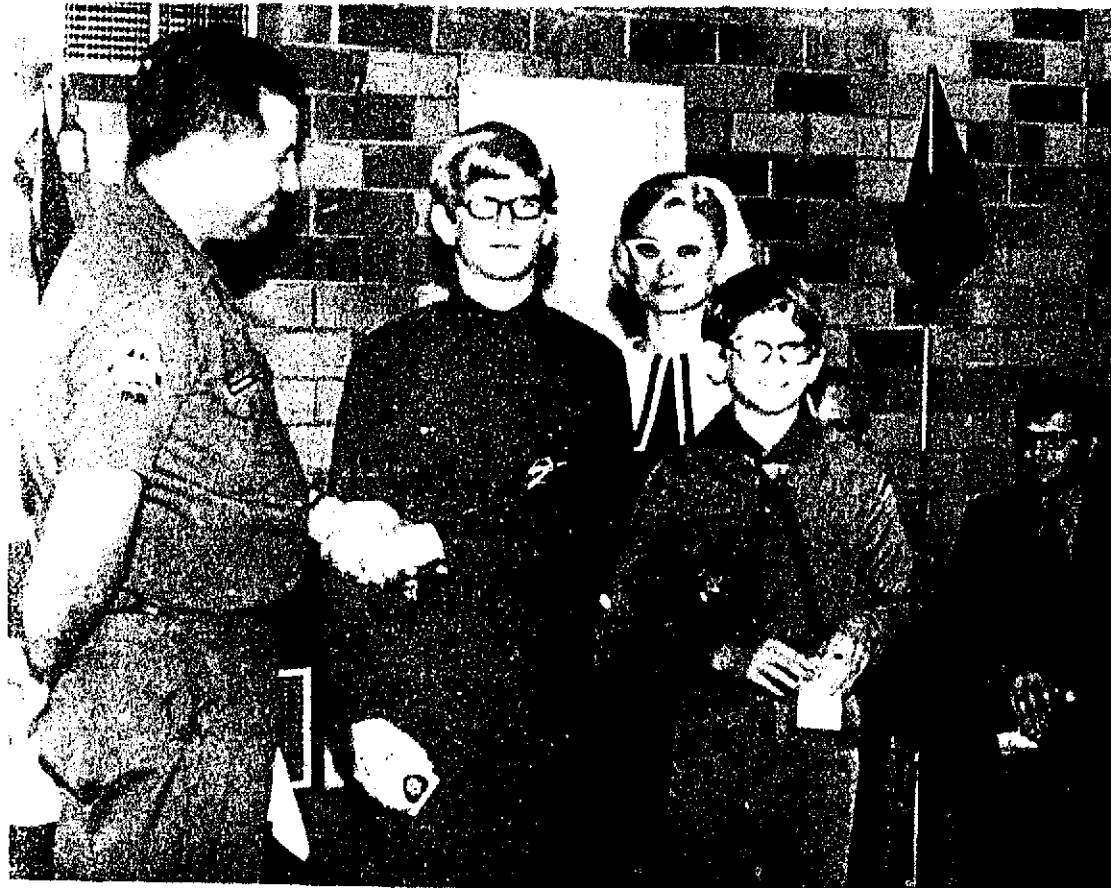
# Boy Scouts Honored



Dean Butler, Captain Mosier, and Glen Griffin.



Mrs. Roy, Frank, and Dr. Crow.



Mr. Shoemaker, Teddy Price, Ricky Price, and Mrs. Price.

Boy Scout Troop No. 91 is sponsored by the Lions Club. Olen Overturf and James Luck are the Scout Masters. Scout Executive Tom Berry is also a member of the Lions Club. The program was opened by Master of Ceremonies Haskell Jones.

Prayer by Alan Foster.

Pledge of Allegiance by Ricky Hogue and Charlie Hair.

Welcome Address by Dr. F. C. Crow.

Mike Middlebrooks, Alan Foster and Lester Sitzes arranged for Tenderfoot Ceremony.

Patrol Leaders recognized were: Teddy Price, Mike Middlebrooks, Mike Hartfield, Frank Roy, Lester Sitzes, Robin Lee and Robin Cox.

Miscellaneous Awards were given by Alan Foster and James Luck.

Closing was given by Robin Lee's Patrol.

Merit Badges given out by Cpt. Scrub Mosier, Mike Worthy-Citizenship in Nation and Canoeing; Teddy Price-Citizenship in Nation, Ricky K. Price-Citizenship in Nation, Robert C. Cox-Pets; Lester Sitzes-Firemanship and Rowing; Mike Middlebrooks-Canoeing; Robin Lee-Lifesaving; Lester Sitzes-Safety; Mike Middlebrooks-Home Repair; Teddy Price-Wood Carving; Mike Middlebrooks-Pioneering; and Mike Hartfield-Pioneering.

Tenderfoot Awards-Second Class given by James Luck.

Ceremony performed by Lester Sitzes, Alan Foster, Mike Middlebrooks, Donald Sitzes, Ray Rogers, Edwin Connelly, Steve Gough, Charlie Hair, Wayne Anderson, Tracy Comer, Rickey Bennett, Britt Monts, Jay Rowe, John Wester, Kyle Geist, Dwight Stone, Allen Hollis, Clifford Elder, Brad Joyce, Steve Gough, David B. Cox, Ricky Hogue, Rodney Rice, Donnie Hollis, Mark Shields, and David Sitzes.

First Class Badges were handed out by Cpt. Scrub Mosier, Glen Griffin and Dean Butler.

Star Rank was presented to Frank Roy by Dr. F. C. Crow.

Life Rank was presented to Teddy and Ricky K. Price by Caddo Area Council Scout Executive Bob Shoemaker.

Merit Badges handed out by Dr. Don Freil-Robin Lee-Cooking; fishing; David B. Cox, firemanship; Glen Griffin, personal fitness; Mike Hartfield, firemanship; Wayne Anderson, firemanship, Animal Industry; Dale Comer, Teddy Price, Animal Industry; Ricky Price, Animal Industry; Ricky Price, Music.

Merit Badges handed out by Lion Bobby Joe Lee-Mike Worthy, Camping; Frank Roy, firemanship; Ricky Price, personal fitness and swimming; Teddy Price, swimming; Frank Roy, swimming; Dale Comer, Conservation of Natural Resources; Mike Middlebrooks, swimming; Dale Comer, swimming and Lester Sitzes, swimming.

Merit Badges handed out by David Still-Robert C. Cox, Dog care; swimming; Robin Lee, nature; Ricky Price, nature; Robert Dudley, nature; Mike Middlebrooks, firemanship; Teddy Price, nature; Robin Lee, dog care and David Sitzes, firemanship.

Merit Badges handed out by James Luck-Robert C. Cox, Cooking; Teddy Price, firemanship; Steve Cox, firemanship; Donald Sitzes, firemanship; Robin Lee, athletics; Lester Sitzes, rifle and shotgun and Mike Middlebrooks, camping.

Goldfish Club

During the Battle of Britain, a flier who had to bail out was given a small gold caterpillar pin by the company who made the parachute and he became a member of the Caterpillar Club. Those who bailed out over the English Channel and had to use their rubber dinghies were made honorary members of the Goldfish Club.

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## Job Rights of Young Mothers Under Study

By BARRY SCHWEID  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — The government and civil rights lawyers are joining in a Supreme Court bid to safeguard job rights of young mothers.

Using the case of a Jacksonville, Fla., waitress as a springboard, the Justice Department and the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund are seeking a ruling that employers may not refuse to hire women simply because they have young children at home.

All this shapes up as the first high court test of a 1964 civil rights law provision guaranteeing women protection against job discrimination.

Martin Marietta Corp., defendant in the suit, insists there is no real evidence to build a discrimination claim and that the appeal reached the high court too late to be considered.

The case of Ida Phillips, a white woman with seven children, already is well known in the capital. Earlier this year, "sexism" charges were leveled at G. Harrold Carswell by women liberationists because he cast a vote against reconsideration of her suit by a federal appeals court.

The charges did not help Carswell's efforts to win Senate confirmation as a Supreme Court justice. He was ultimately defeated.

Mrs. Phillips' case began when a receptionist told her she could not be considered for a factory job because she had children of preschool age.

Both U.S. district and appeals courts found Mrs. Phillips was not turned down by Martin Marietta because she is a woman but because she is a woman with preschool age children.

The Justice Department and the Legal Defense Fund say this interpretation could imperil job opportunities of the more than 4 million American women in the labor market who have young children at home. Many of these women are black. About one-third provide the sole support of their households or have husbands with incomes below \$5,000 a year.

A big issue in the case is whether Martin Marietta hired men with school-age children at the time Mrs. Phillips applied for a job as an assembly trainee.

"To require of prospective women employees that they not have preschool-age children, while not requiring the same of men, is to discriminate against women on the basis of sex," Solicitor General Erwin N. Griswold and Justice Department lawyers said in a brief to the court.

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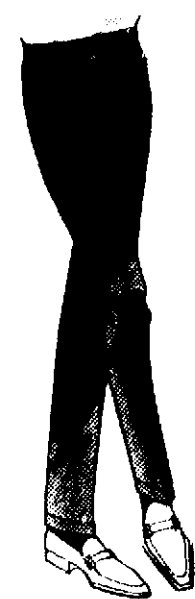
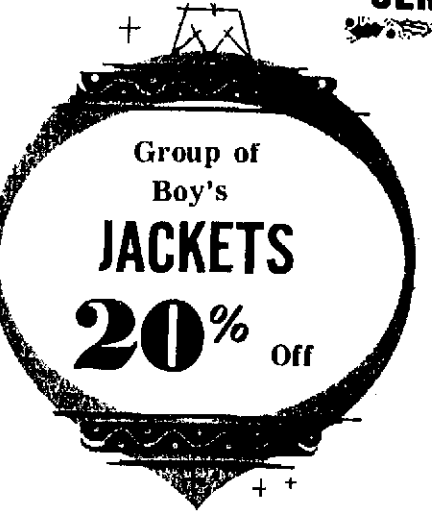
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Famous Brand Name Solids and Stripes Reg. \$8.

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Men's

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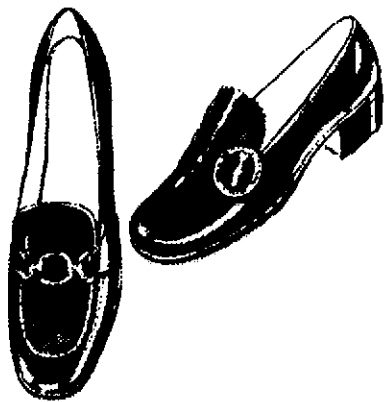
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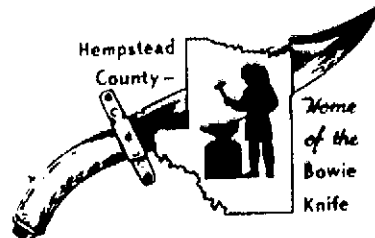


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## Auto Union Now Turns to Chrysler

DETROIT (AP) — With contract agreement with two of the Big Three automakers in hand, the United Auto Workers Union shifts its bargaining emphasis to Chrysler Corp. today, hoping to reach a new national settlement by the end of next week.

The way was cleared to start intensive bargaining with Chrysler after the UAW's Ford council voted 180 to 3 Tuesday to recommend to the rank-and-file ratification of a new three-year contract with Ford Motor Co.

The 166,000 Ford workers are to cast their ballots on the new contract by next Tuesday. With the strong endorsement of the UAW's leadership, the contract is expected to be ratified with ease.

With a few exceptions, the Ford contract is similar to the one reached at General Motors Corp. in November after a 10-week strike.

Major provisions called for an immediate average pay hike of 51 cents hourly, bringing the average wage to \$4.53 an hour, an unlimited cost-of-living wage escalator, and special early retirement provisions at a \$500 monthly pension for many workers with 30 years on the job.

UAW President Leonard Woodcock said the most important provisions the UAW won at Ford that it did not get at GM included a voluntary check-off system for an employee-paid dental program, partial retroactive pay for work since the Sept. 14 expiration of the old contract, and shuffling and adding of holidays to give workers a holiday period from Christmas Eve through New Year's Day.

Although it will be paid entirely by the employees at present, the dental program represented a foot in the door for the UAW's drive to get the dental bills footed eventually by the automakers.

The retroactive pay provision will give workers an average of \$180.20 each.

Douglas Fraser, UAW vice president in charge of the union's Chrysler department, said he was hopeful a settlement with Chrysler—the smallest of the Big Three—could be wrapped up next week.

The UAW has some 120,000 workers at Chrysler. No strike deadline has been set there.

Meanwhile, Ford announced Tuesday an increase in the suggested manufacturer's retail price for its 1971 cars that averages \$15 a car. The hike—its third this year—brought the average increase over 1970 model prices to \$187.

General Motors has raised prices an average of \$208 in two steps and Chrysler has made a two-step increase of \$119.

Ford said its price changes ranged from a reduction of \$19 on the intermediate-size Torino 500 station wagon to an increase of \$44 in the Continental Mark III luxury sedan.

## Two Children Perish in Fire

CLARENDON, Ark. (AP) — Julia Ann Morgan, 4, and her brother, Sam Morgan Jr., 2, burned to death Tuesday in an old car at their home five miles north of here.

Monroe County Sheriff Forrest Plumlee said they were the children of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Morgan.

Plumlee said the children apparently had been playing with a match and caught the upholstery of the car on fire.

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PISA'S TOWER seems to be getting some competition from New York's World Trade Center. The twin structures, world's tallest when completed, are victims of distortion by a fisheye lens.

## Tax Formula Sought for SS Financing

By JOE HALL

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate Finance Committee continued wrestling today over ways to finance a mammoth Social Security bill carrying \$9 billion in benefit increases the panel has already approved.

The committee struggled through two sessions Tuesday but failed to come up with an acceptable tax formula.

Sen. John J. Williams, R-Dei., said it had been easy to get votes to raise the monthly payments but that "there seems to be a reluctance now to pay the bill."

However, Chairman Russell B. Long, D-La., said he was hopeful that a formula would be found and the committee's task ended today. And he repeated his pledge that the measure, heavily laden with a variety of riders, would be ready for floor consideration next week.

Senate leaders have announced, however, they plan to close out the 1970 session at the end of next week.

This led Sen. Fred R. Harris, D-Okla., a Finance member, to

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## Suggests When Getting Car Checked You Take Inventory of Yourself

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) — Most car owners see that their vehicles get a winter checkup to be sure they are in good condition to withstand the rigors of the cold months.

It might be well if everyone also at this time took a personal inventory of himself to see how his status is faring. For without status in this prestige-conscious world, he is lower than a barnacle on a sunken ship.

Here are a few easy ways to tell how you stand in the social and economic pecking order. You're doing okay if—

Bill collectors take off their hats and apologize before asking you to pay up.

You are planning to give your wife a second mink coat for Christmas, and an imported sports car to your son.

The boss asks you to take a winter vacation in Florida with him so you can help improve his golf game.

At the annual officer dinner the young wife of the senior vice president plays kneesie-under-the-table with you.

The bartender who used to call you Jack now addresses you as Mr. Tubbs and always serves you first if you come in with a group.

A parking place with your name on it is reserved for you

## House Gives New Life to the Controversial Supersonic Program

By JIM ADAMS

Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House has given new life to the American supersonic transport program and in the process presented the Senate with a strong test of its opposition to the SST.

The House voted 213 to 174 Tuesday against accepting the Senate defeat of \$290 million to continue development of the 1,800-mile-an-hour aircraft.

The differing versions now go to a conference committee where the House members are expected to fight for a restoration of at least part of the funds.

The Senate turned back the SST program 52 to 41 last week in a surprising show of strength by SST opponents that brought on vigorous criticism by President Nixon.

Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., who led the successful Senate fight against the SST, said he would use "all the resources at my disposal" if any of the money is restored in conference. Aides said that could include a filibuster.

Democratic Sen. Henry M. Jackson of Washington, where the Boeing Co. is developing the 298-passenger delta-wing jetlin-

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## City Ponders Swap of 65 Acres of Land

Harold Stephens appeared before the Board of Directors last night with a request to construct a shed over the railroad and alley along the side of a new wholesale grocery warehouse that is now under construction.

He presented plans covering the proposed extension, which had been prepared to meet the railroad's requirements for clearance, etc. The shed will enable them to unload freight cars and transport trucks under protection from the weather, and

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## Seeks Limit to Cambodia Involvement

WASHINGTON (AP) — Opponents of expanded American involvement in Cambodia will ask the senate to approve for a second time the Cooper-Church amendment severely limiting presidential use of American military force in the Southeast Asian nation.

Sens. Frank Church, D-Idaho, and John Sherman Cooper, R-Ky., expect to reoffer their amendment—passed by the Senate last year but rejected by the House—when the Foreign Relations Committee considers President Nixon's request for more aid to Cambodia.

The Cooper-Church development came after the Senate gave overwhelming approval Tuesday to a ban on U.S. ground combat troops in Cambodia and as the Foreign Relations Committee prepared the release of a staff report on conditions in Cambodia.

In summarizing the report, Church said:

"As of today, the Cambodian government in Phnom Penh is every bit as dependent on American aid as is the government in Saigon."

The aim of Cooper-Church supporters, in asking the Senate to approve the amendment a second time, is to emphasize Senate feeling against any U.S. military role in Cambodia, despite the aid program.

If accepted by the Senate, the amendment could delay until next year approval of Nixon's \$255 million Cambodia aid program—\$155 million in new economic and military assistance and \$100 million to pay back funds already transferred to that country from other aid programs.

Spokesmen said about 100 enemy troops attacked about the same number of South Vietnamese at a government outpost 25 miles southwest of Da Nang in the northern part of South Vietnam. The South Vietnamese repelling the attack suffered two dead and three wounded, spokesmen said.

The assault was the first in the area in three months and was viewed as part of the Viet Cong's continuing effort to shatter government control of key areas of the countryside.

A Viet Cong platoon, about 30 soldiers, lost more than half its men to South Vietnamese rangers 13 miles west of Saigon in a 10-minute skirmish apparently related to the campaign, spokesmen said. With support from helicopter gunships, the rangers reported killing 10 enemy troops and capturing seven while suffering no casualties.

Saigon says that 94 per cent of the country's 17½ million people live under relative government security. But the figure is from a controversial computerized "Hamlet Evaluation System" that most observers feel gives a somewhat inaccurate picture.

For instance, it fails to consider the Viet Cong's political underground, still at work in all of South Vietnam's 44 provinces. The underground provides a base from which Viet Cong troops can break into district towns as in an assault Tuesday 42 miles north of Saigon.

## Survey Starts for New City Directory

A team of women is conducting a house-to-house canvass of Hope to gather information for a new city directory to be published by the Moorehead Directory Service, a spokesman for the firm said today.

The Moorehead firm has published other directories here and has approval of Chamber of Commerce directors.

The company is a member of the North American Directory Publishers Assn. and currently operates in Oklahoma, Arkansas, Mississippi and Texas.

Regional sales manager Jesse Rickman said the canvassers are making the house-to-house visits to secure as accurate information as possible for compiling the directory.

The new edition will contain an alphabetical directory of all residents 18 years of age and older, with detailed information concerning each. It will contain a numerical directory by streets with telephone guide, a classified business guide, and a list of Hempstead County residents in the immediate areas.

Information being asked of citizens includes name, address, employment, if they own or rent their home, marital status, number of children and telephone number.

Copies of the directory will be available at the Chamber of Commerce for anyone wishing to use it.

Business firms also are being contacted for advertising necessary to finance the directory, Rickman said. No collections will be made until the product is completed and delivered, he said.

## Pedestrian Hit, Killed

GENTRY, Ark. (AP) — Mrs. D. R. Tate, 81, of near Gentry was killed Tuesday when struck by a car on Arkansas 12 about three miles west of here.

State Police said the car was driven by Marvin T. Sitton, 30, of Gravette.

## Group Clears Sharply Cut Money Bill

WASHINGTON AP — A \$1,525 billion appropriations bill, including \$990 million additional foreign aid, cleared the House Appropriations Committee today.

The measure, scheduled for House debate later this week, is the last of 15 regular money bills considered this year.

The committee cut \$176.7 million from White House requests. If the House approves, it would boost to \$2.6 billion the total cuts from \$137.3 billion requested this year. The Senate, which has acted on about half the requests, has added \$2.7 billion to bills it has passed.

The \$990 million for foreign aid, including \$500 million for arms aid to Israel, supplements more than \$2 billion voted earlier this year.

The new funds include \$340 million for military assistance and \$150 million for economic aid. The committee earmarked \$85 million of the military funds and \$70 million of the economic aid for Cambodia. South Korea would get \$150 million of the military aid money.

The only direct cut in new foreign aid funds made by the committee was denial of \$15

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## Story of How Defector Was Refused Amnesty Sickening to Some

WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite the pleas and advice of a civilian former refugee, the Coast Guard allowed Russian seamen to take back a Lithuanian sailor trying to defect, Congress has been told.

In graphic detail, Robert M. Brieze, president of the New Bedford, Mass., Seafood Producers Association, told a House Foreign Affairs subcommittee how Simas Kudirka was held for a time, then returned to his ship—"either unconscious or dead"—in the hands of the Soviets.

Brieze's account was "about as sickening a story as I've ever heard," said Rep. Wayne L. Hays, chairman of the subcommittee.

Brieze, a refugee from Soviet-occupied Latvia, was aboard the cutter Vigilant Nov. 22 to take part in talks with representatives of a Russian fishing fleet.

When he learned of Kudirka's presence aboard the Coast Guard vessel, Brieze said, he urged the captain, Cmdr. Ralph W. Eustis, to call the Baltic Af-

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## All Around Town

By The Star Staff

The local Veterans of Foreign Wars post will hold a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Hut on Highway 67, east.

Marine Private First Class Joseph A. Aaron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Starling Aaron of 308 S. Hervey St., Hope, Ark., was promoted to his present rank while undergoing individual combat training with the Second Infantry Training Regiment, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

A series of police roadblocks were held throughout the City of Hope Tuesday and some 44 persons were given tickets mostly for traffic and license violations. . . some 56 persons were fined last week for traffic violations. . . most of these were truck drivers who disobeyed the signs telling them not to use the portion of Interstate 30 from Hope to Fulton. . . trucks must stay on Highway 67 from Fulton to Prescott.

Hope Firemen made a run yesterday and put out a trash fire before any damage could result.

## Railway Unions Leave Way to Avert a Strike

AP News Digest

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Four rail unions engaged in stymied negotiations with the railroad industry and threatening to strike one minute after midnight Thursday have hinted that the walkout might be averted if Congress includes an immediate 13.5 per cent wage hike for 500,000 workers as part of legislation forcing a strike delay.

SAIGON (AP) — South Vietnamese militiamen have reported killing 23 Viet Cong, and Vice President Nguyen Cao Ky has flown to the battle scene to congratulate them.

FT. BENNING, Ga. (AP) — The prosecution at the court-martial of Lt. William L. Calley on charges of killing 102 Vietnamese at May Lai has conditionally rested its case. The defense case, which will start with sworn statements of Vietnamese people, is to begin Thursday.

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ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) — A group of mayors has provisionally decided by one vote to urge withdrawal of federal support from the SST.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — Overriding Western objections, the U.N. Security Council has condemned Portugal for the invasion of Guinea and rapped Lisbon's partners in NATO. Portugal continues to deny that it was connected with the invasion.

BURGOS, Spain (AP) — The military trial here of Basque separatists has been closed to the public after the defendants began demonstrating and fighting with police in the courtroom.

## Wooten Leaving State Police

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Jim Wooten of Little Rock, a sergeant with the State Police who has been in charge of that agency's public information, has been named director of public relations for the Arkansas Petroleum Council, effective Jan. 1.

Wooten fills the vacancy created by the promotion of Herschell Parent to executive director of the council.

## Jury Selection in Rape Case

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Jury selection was to continue today in the rape trial of Clarence Lee Bruce, 18, of Little Rock. Bruce, a Negro, went on trial Monday in Circuit Court here for allegedly raping two white women on an Arkansas River sand bar May 29. Five other Negroes are also charged in connection with the alleged attack. Ten jurors had been seated Tuesday.

## Arkansan Killed in Oklahoma

POTEAU, Okla. (AP) — John Handley, 71, of Little Rock, was killed Monday when struck by a pickup truck on a Poteau street, the Highway Patrol said Tuesday.

The patrol said Handley was crossing the street and had reached the center when he stepped back to avoid an oncoming ambulance and was struck by the pickup.